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RACE WAR QUIETED

Many Greeks Arrested and in Court.

POLICE PREVENTED MURDER IN LITTLE CANADA.

The Culprits Continued in Court Today.

Contrary to the expectations of hundreds the race war between the French and Greeks in Little Canada was not resumed last evening at the conclusion of work in the mills and had it been there would have been a lively time on the muddy streets of that infected quarter, for Lieut. Kew and several officers were stationed at every gate, behind trees and in doorways where fighting was liable to occur, awaiting any trouble and to arrest as many participants as possible without discrimination as to race.

The Greeks thought that they were not being used fairly and at first thought it would appear that way because of the nine men arrested for rioting yesterday morning all were Greeks. That was explained by the fact that the French knowing the locality could elude the police.

About 5.30 o'clock last evening, one of the French rioters was arrested in Little Canada and when the patrol went there the people in the vicinity ran out thinking there was another row.

Many female operatives who saw the Greeks with knives out were frightened into hysterics and have not yet recovered from the shock.

Only the vigilance of the police prevented murder, as the Greeks were desperate and made a lounge with a knife at every Frenchman they could find while they were on the rampage.

Greeks in Court.

There were all kinds of nationalities represented in police court this morning, the Greeks and French predominating.

During the night the police arrested three more Frenchmen and the names of the fourteen are as follows:

French, Joseph Christian, John Geoffrey, Maurice Masson, Joseph Robert and Maxime Robitaille; Greeks, Spyros Vlaguites, Clostos Mathews, Anthony Mazurkarnes, James Pantagakos, George Anostos, Theodoros Harakas, Anthony Bugardes, Uostos Muchinnis and Spiros Lagarnus. All the prisoners were youthful looking except Robitaille, who is an old man. All pleaded not guilty of disturbing the peace and were held in $200 for trial next Wednesday. Many of them found bail.

Police Court—Hadley, J.

Of the four drunks in court this morning Walter Ashworth was sentenced to the reformatory and he appealed while Mary Wilson did likewise when sentenced to the state farm for seven months.

James Devitt was found guilty of stealing an overcoat and was continued until Monday for sentence. The police have another charge for some articles found upon Devitt which they think belongs to some other person.

James Hayes wastined $25 for assault and battery.

Miss Nellie Galvin who has been visiting friends in this city returned to her home in Nashua, yesterday.

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MRS. COTE BURIED

Funeral Services at St. Joseph's Church.

THE BODY OF COTE SENT TO CANADA.

Great Sympathy for Friends of Murdered Woman.

The last sad chapter of the horrible Thanksgiving day tragedy was concluded this morning when the remains of the ill-fated woman, Miss Virginie Cote were tenderly consigned to their last resting place in the pretty French cemetery at Chelmsford surrounded by heart-broken relatives and grief-stricken friends and with the last consolation of the Catholic religion.

Since early Thanksgiving day hundreds have visited the house of mourning to gaze for the last time on the fair face of the deceased and to offer a prayer by her bier and this morning when the funeral cortege arrived at St. Joseph's church in Lee street, the interior of the edifice was well filled, many strangers brought thither by curiosity being in attendance.

When the funeral procession arrived the body which reposed in a neat covered casket was borne tenderly to a catafalque at the sanctuary rail by the following bearers: Messrs. Adelbert Cussotte, Sinai Mathe, Odilon Bourk, Napoleon Cussatte, S. Dion and Pierre Julbert.

The windows of the church were sombrely draped while the altar was hung with the customary mourning draperies.

Among the congregation assisting at the mass were many salesladies and clerks from the principal establishments on Merrimack street with whom the deceased was ever a favorite, and among the mourners were two Sisters of Charity of the Order of Nazareth, and a half brother of Francois Cote, the murderer.

Resting upon the casket were many beautiful floral tributes including one from Chris Holmes, employer of the deceased and another from the employes of that establishment.

Requiem high mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O. M. I., and the choir directed by Philias David, Jr., sang the impressive Gregorian plain chant, Ed. Vincellette presiding at the organ. At the offertory Mr. David rendered "Miserere Mei, Deus" in a feeling manner, and at the conclusion of mass the choir chanted the "Libera Me, Dominie."

The scene in the darkened church was strikingly impressive and many there were who wept as the casket was borne away to the hearse when the service had finished.

At the grave in the cemetery the last rites of the Catholic church were read by Rev. Fr. Petit, O.M.I., after which the interment took place.

Francois Cote Buried.

How different the circumstances connected with the burial of the murderer!

In a small room on Race street, mourned by a faithful mother when all others had fled, the remains of Francois Cote lay in a casket until yesterday afternoon, when they were shipped away like ordinary merchandise for burial somewhere in Canada.

All Thanksgiving night the mother kept her lonely vigil with only a few relatives to offer consolation. Yesterday Mr. Archambeault, who had charge of both bodies, carried the remains of Cote to the Northern station where the half-mother of the deceased had them consigned to White River Junction where it is said connection could be made for Canada. The relatives declined to state just whereabout in Canada the interment will take place for they are crushed by the heavy disgrace brought so suddenly upon them. It is not known who accompanied the remains to Canada if any one did, but it is supposed that relatives met the body at White River Junction.

The murder and suicide is yet the principle topic of discussion in French Canadian circles, for the better class of French residents feel deeply the fact that in these greatest crimes in Lowell of the past decade, the victims have all been French residents of prominence.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.

A Safe was Nearly Opened When Burglars Were Frightened Away.

Burglars attempted to rob the safe at the Opera house about 2 o'clock yesterday morning and were on the highroad to success when the janitor, George Lewis, arrived and the marauders escaped through the darkened house, leaving behind them a hammer and chisel.

Mathilde Blind Dead.

London, Nov. 28.—Miss Mathilde Blind, the author, lecturer and staunch advocate of the improvement of the educational, economical and political position of women, is dead.

Fines Many and Heavy.

Palmer, Mass., Nov. 28.—In the district court yesterday Judge Robinson rendered his decision in 21 liquor cases, and imposed fines aggregating $3250.

How the Mercury Fell.

Dubuque, Ia., Nov. 28.—In 24 hours the temperature fell 47 degrees, the thermometer registering 8 above zero at 9 o'clock last night.

Who does your printing? THE SUN job print would do it well and save you money.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Ten days remain before the voters of our city will be asked to express a preference for a man in whom will be vested the powers of chief magistrate.

To the voter who is "outside the campaign," so to speak, it seems but a brief time in which to wage so important a contest. Surface indications are that the present is an exceedingly quiet canvass on both sides, but such is not the case.

So far as the democratic forces are concerned, the battle has been fought vigorously since the moment when the returns indicated Mayor Courtney's nomination. His friends, never faltering in their loyalty to him, planned a campaign that must be effective.

Mayor Courtney has the prestige of two good administrations to carry him along with the voters. A reduction in the tax levy is appreciated by property owners, and they are an influential factor in municipal affairs. Then, too, the charter amendments are his creation, for they were prepared by a commission suggested and named by him, after consulting his views.

Many voters regard it as only proper that to him should be entrusted the execution of the provisions of these amendments.

A united democracy will tender its hearty support to His Honor, and his vote will be recruited by volunteers and dissatisfied ones from the other side.

Youth is urged as an argument against the ambition of Charles H. Cosgrove to sit in the upper board. It is well to remember that the Cosgrove property is assessed for $25,000, and surely the city's interests would not suffer at the hands of a young man with that backing.

A Word to Voters.

When the commisioners recommended that the best way to run the city government in an economic and busines-like way was to reduce the number of persons who had formerly the privilede of spending the city's money. There is an old saying that a person is liable to be very generous with another person's pocket-book, and it has been proven quite recently through the courts that the city has been paying some pretty big prices for some of their supplies, and no one can say just how long this kind of business has been going on, but it is a happy thought to know that we have seen the end of this waste of the people's money, and with the election of W. P. Foye as the city's purchasing agent, you can rest assured that in the future the city's supplies will be purchased at the lowest possible price, and the citizens will rejoice in the change, and every democrat should take a special pride in placing one of their party at the head of this department. Our candidate has superior qualifications for the position as he has had years of experience in competing with others in the open market and successfully competing with others in his own private business. Democrats see that you put a cross alongside of the name of W. P. Foye election day, and the city's interests will be all right in his charge and the tax payers will be pleased with the results. A Voter and Tax Payer.

BOWLING NEWS.

One who is considered an expert bowler is commenting on the low scores credited to Les Miserables in their match games, claims the blame rests entirely with the boys themselves. "Duck-pin bowling is what does it," he said, and he was right. From Capt. Swift down to the entire team, every man has the duck pin craze, and about the only time they roll at the regular sized pins is in a match game. Practice made the boys proficient in past years, when every young man waited up to learn if the "Miserables" had won. That was when the scores were big and bowling men admired the boys who wore the pink shirts for their pluck and determination in every game. That players were interested then, they showed in their practice. Set the example Capt. Swift and shift from those duck pins.

The bowling tournament of the Y. M. C. I. is creating lots of excitement.

MRS. McGOVERN BURIED.

At the Expense of Miss Mongovan—She Will be Repaid Perhaps.

The remains of the late Mary McGovern were interred in the Catholic cemetery this morning.

The funeral took place from Undertaker Davey's ware-rooms and was attended by several of her relatives.

The remains were in the casket purchased by Miss Mongovan, who was informed through mistake that the dead woman was her mother.

Every detail of the funeral was carried out as originally planned by her, and the expense was borne by her. It was necessary to obtain a new burial permit and that was done yesterday afternoon.

DEATHS.

CARLTON—Oren C. Carlton, for many years one of the best known residents of Centralville, died yesterday afternoon at the city hospital, where he had been for the past ten days. He was a carpenter by trade and held the position of fish warden for several years.

BURGESS—Mrs. Elizabeth A., widow of Thomas F. Burgess, died at her residence, 92 Hastings street, yesterday, Nov. 27. She was a native of Lowell, the daughter of the late Benjamin Richardson, and was 58 years of age.

Chronic

Catarrh cannot be cured by local applications. It is a constitutional disease, and requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, working through the blood, eradicates the impurity which causes and promotes the disease, and soon effects a permanent cure. At the same time Hood's Sarsaparilla builds up the whole system.

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VISIT TO LOWELL

Mr. Fletcher Pens Some of His Reflections.

WHAT HE SAW ON ARRIVING AT DEPOT

And Afterwards—The City Election Touched.

The readers of the Sun will recall the letters of J. W. Fletcher and relish the following from his pen, held over from yesterday. He spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Fletcher:

Thanksgiving brings the many wanderers to the home nest and thousands everywhere turn their faces to old familiar scenes, to forget the fret and worry of active life, amid the quiet, old time surroundings. I was just alighting from the train with all the glare and whirl of metropolitan life still fresh upon me when "Bang, bang, three cheers, Hurrah," filled the air and hundreds of voices, flashing lights, blazing rockets filled the air. I at first thought it must be that the modest young "Silver" who was beseeching the good citizens of Lowell to reconsider him or that they were in some way celebrating the fact that there was to be a rest for a time at least from his forensic eloquence. Or, well it couldn't be my own arrival that was of no importance to anyone but myself. "What's all this about?" I enquired of one of the most intelligent bystanders who work very hard—doing nothing. "This? why this is our Mayor, he's been and got married, and a grand time—'bang, bang". Gosh, there goes a plate glass window in Richardson's. Sky rocket gone clear through it, well. He's worth it, and besides a man don't get married every day. It really proved to be the greeting of the 110 club to the mayor, celebrating his return from his wedding trip. "He's a beauty, no mistake" and the tone of admiration seemed heartfelt as a gentleman and lady, looking excessively bored, but trying to appear self-possessed and pleased stopped for a moment and looked out over the crowd.

"It was a great wedding" chatted on my informant. "Everybody was there and they did the thing up in great shape." "Were you there?" "Well no, guess they forgot me, they did forget a good many, but everyone went who could."

Then I fell to musing as the bridal pair were driven down the street, away to their future home. Away to take up the lines of a new life, with new cares, new pleasures and new responsibilities. After all, what a "time" is made in giving public weddings, how much a man has to pay for being in public life quite outside of duties of his office. And when he is popular and good looking, the duties and obligations are doubly onerous. His every act, look and word are brought under the ban of a not always friendly criticism, and I can quite imagine that this affair of Mayor Courtney's may or may not redound to his otherwise unquestioned popularity. Is the old superstitution true, that breaking glass is a bad omen, and the little episode of the sky rocket and window prophetic of a halt in his career and a presaging of loss in the coming election?

Probably not, but if yes, he has the consolation of newly acquired joys and can quite easily rest from the duties that have held him so closely to work during the past two years. I am sure that numberless friends wish them both unalloyed happiness, and the best and brightest of life's blessings. Everything seems about the same, the streets are filled, the election has produced no marked effect, except, perhaps, a little sense of weariness waiting for that long promised "boom" which as yet has not put in much of an appearance.

If are the good things, or the dire disasters, that politicians prophesy were to come true, pandemonium would surely reign, and chaos would be out done. I chanced to go into the little theatre, the Savoy, which is as neat and clean, in appearance as the really charming comedy that was being presented on the stage. I could not fail to see what a change had really taken place since last I had stood within those walls. In the old days the Rev. Mr. Greene, as eloquent and whole-souled a gentleman as ever stood in the pulpit, was then the particular attraction. For years Lowell has been the scene of his endeavors, and noble and consistent work has he accomplished. Now in his new church he is still carrying forward in a larger way what he years ago, began with such earnestness. Meanwhile, the church has ceased to exist, but in a new dress, has been transformed into a charming little theatre. "Our Regiment" is this week's attraction and it would be difficult to imagine a more interesting comedy. Mr. Kendall Weston, was of course the actor, carrying the play largely on his own shoulders from start to finish. The others were all interesting. If a word most kindly meant would be accepted "I would say that if the performers, would remember that the acoustic properties are perfect, the stage very small and just modify tone, manner and action, somewhat they would attain much better results. This, however, does not apply to Mr. Weston, for he has longer experience and tact, and, therefore, is able to adopt himself more readily to his surroundings. All the same it was a charming evening and furnishes a place of amusement quite as important in its way as the former works of the church.

Just as I am writing I see that Danville Cole, Esq., has passed on to the higher life, toward which we are all tending with hurrying feet. I have known him for many years and I am sure he will be missed greatly both as a citizen and friend. His Thanksgiving day is celebrated in the world beyond, where free from pain and earthly cares, he has met those who have gone before. What a change death does really make? How never again are the broken threads of life taken up as of yore. We may not fully see what the change is to those who go. We know what it is to those of us who remain. May everyone when that moment comes, feel that life has not been vain or empty, and be able to look with hope and assurance to the light of that day, the end of which the wisest may not know. And so Thanksgiving is over and we are again in the line of our work, waiting for the chance to say, "Merry Christmas to all."

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COMMUNICATION.

A Local Business Man Favors a New Y. M. C. A. Building.

Editor Sun: Shall Lowell's Y. M. C. A. have a new building? This seems to be the upper-most question with many of the young men of our city. A fire was kindled in their hearts last summer, by the articles published through the columns of the late Times and Star, relative to the old B. & M. station as a site for a new building.

This fire has been steadily burning over since, and every now and then it bursts out into a flame. I had occasion to visit the building last Wednesday evening, at which they were tendering a reception to the Y. W. C. A., and I heard a young man in conversation with a gentleman, apparently from out of town, say with all confidence, "we expect to have a much better building than this one, before long."

And why not? We have our guilded saloons to drag young men down, and our prisons, jails, poor farms and asylums, wherein to punish and to care for those thus dragged down. Why not have a Y. M. C. A. as convenient and attractive as the saloon? A place where young men may be surrounded with uplifting influences, rather than destructive.

We have a good building as far as it goes, but it is cramped, and the work handicapped for lack of room and modern conveniences. The Y. M. C. A. is in my estimation one of the noblest organizations on the face of the earth. It should have the strongest support of every true man and woman of our city. I consider money invested in that institution, well invested. The Lowell association has not been what it might nor what it ought to have been in the past, but I know as a business man that it is at present rapidly improving under new and careful management, and I predict for it in the near future the high esteem of all. I am in hearty sympathy with the writer of the articles which appeared in the Times and Star in regard to the B. and M. site. If it is possible to get it I sincerely believe it would be one of the best, if not the very best, investment the business men of Lowell have ever made, to obtain for Y. M. C. A. purposes.

If this site cannot be had, get another. Only let us have a Y.M.C.A. building that shall be an honor to our large and flourishing city, and not a disgrace. Let us have a place convenient and enticing to the young men. A place where the tendency will be to make them better men and nobler citizens. There isn't a doubt in my mind but that many of the members of the association would enter into any work they could to obtain a new building.

For one man, I will go as deep into my pocket as I can to help out any movement along these lines.

A BUSINESS MAN.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

The Savoy.

This afternoon and evening will see the last presentations of "Our Regiment" which has been such a drawing card during the week. The settings in the last act are unexcelled.

At the Savoy the coming week will occur two notable events. The first being the first appearance of Miss Cora Edsall, the Savoy's new leading lady, who will appear as "Constance," and the second being the beautiful production of Bronson Howard's great New York social play "Young Mrs. Winthrop." This play is one of the best of the New York successes, and was produced a whole season at the Madison Square theatre under A. M. Palmer's direction.

Miss Edsall's theatrical experience has been both varied and successful, she having been a protege of Bouicault, of Coquelin, the great French actor, and a successful star under the management of J. M. Hill, as well as playing the leading roles in many big New York productions. She is a very handsome young lady, of good figure, and very pleasant address, and wears some of the most exquisite costumes ever seen. She is sure of a big reception and of a successful appearance on next Monday night. Mr. Weston had hard work to obtain her services, as others were after her, but he in his endeavor to get the best, went to extra expense and secured her for his own company. The company now is stronger than ever, and merit the enthusiastic houses they receive.

There will be a meeting at the John Street Congregational church December 1, at 8 p. m., in the interest of Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute Alabama. It is in the interest of the education of the negroes in the south.

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DEATH SENTENCE

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OF THE STATEMENT THAT PRINCIPAL WITNESS

Gave False Testimony—The Mahew Case.

New York, Nov. 28.—Lawyers Charles W. Brooke and W. Temple Emmet secured yesterday a stay of execution in the case of Arthur Mayhew, awaiting death in Sing Sing prison, and an order to show cause why a new trial should not be granted the condemned man. The stay was granted by Judge Keogh of the supreme court in his office, and it is returnable at 10 o'clock next Thursday morning, in the supreme court, Brooklyn. Mayhew is under sentence to be electrocuted some time during the week commencing Nov. 30, 1896.

The condemned man, who is a negro, was convicted on April 28, 1896, of the murder of Stephen Powell, a well-to-do storekeeper of Hempstead, L. I., on March 7, 1896. Mayhew was tried in Long Island City before Judge Keogh, and his conviction was principally due to an affidavit made by his alleged accomplice, John A. Waynes, also colored, of Hempstead, who swore that he had seen Mayhew strike Powell with a stocking filled with stones, and that after the fatal blow had been struck Mayhew rifled the pockets of the murdered man and divided his spoils with him (Waynes).

Sometime before the trial, it is said, Waynes put his statment in writing. When he was called to the witness stand by District Attorney Noble during the trial of Mayhew he refused to answer any questions. The district attorney asked for an adjournment, and the witness was taken into a private room, it is alleged, by the district attorney, who had a talk with him. Waynes still refused to say anything when he was put on the stand again, and it was not until almost every effort to make him talk had been exhausted that he finally testified to the allegations contained in his written statement. He pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the first degree, and was sentenced to Sing Sing for 15 years. In Mayhew's case an appeal was taken, and the higher court sustained the verdict.

It was after the appeal had been decided against Mayhew that Lawyers Brooke and Emmett came into the case. Mayhew told his counsel that he was an innocent man, and that he felt sure that Waynes would tell the truth eventually, without letting him go to the electric chair. The two lawyers visited Waynes in Sing Sing, but he was sullen, and refused to have anything to say. They visited him a second time, with no better success, and finally abandoned hope of saving their client, since all prospects for a new trial depended upon Waynes confessing that he had sworn falsely. They were agreeably surprised last Wednesday morning, however, by learning that Waynes was anxious to see them and make a statement. Lawyer Emmett hurried to Sing Sing, saw the negro and got an important statement from him, which was put in the form of an affidavit and signed by Waynes yesterday in Lawyer Emmett's presence, and before a notary public.

Waynes says in the affidavit: "I did not meet Mayhew, and I did not see Mayhew kill Mr. Fowell, as I testified at Mayhew's trial. I have since been informed that Mr. Powell was killed that evening between 10 and 12 o'clock. Mayhew was not with me during these hours."

After detailing the story of his arrest on the charge of murder, Waynes said: "I had been locked up for two or three weeks when I had a conversation with Mr. Dote, the head of the Queen's county jail in Long Island City. He told me that he had had a talk with Mayhew, and that Mayhew had 'come up to the front,' as he expressed it, and that Mayhew had confessed to him that he had killed Mr. Powell, and had told him that I had kept watch while he had did it.' He also said that Mayhew would 'get off light,' because he had told the truth, and he said that I would get off light if I told the same story that Mayhew did; but that otherwise, I would be punished very heavily. He said that Mayhew had told him that he and I had walked up the street and hid behind the fence waiting for Mr. Powell, and that when Mr. Powell came along, he (Mayhew) had run out and struck him, and that I had run into the gutter and looked up and down the street, to see if anyone was coming. He then said that Mayhew had told him that he said I had run away through Terrace avenue, and that we were the men Treadwell saw running. He further said that Mayhew said that he had no intention of killing the man. I denied absolutely that any of these things had occurred, and was sent back to my cell.

"A day or two after McDougall, the jailer, came to me; he took me up stairs to the top of the jail, three or four flights up; two other men were up there, a detective and a notary public. McDougal took us into a little room, and repeated all that Dote had said that Mayhew had said, and McDougall said that Mayhew had owned up to all of these facts. 'Now,' he said, 'Waynes, I have known you two or three years, and I want you to get off with a light punishment, too. The only way for you to do is to own up to the same story that Mayhew has owned up to; otherwise, if you try to lie out of it with any different story, that you will get the worst end of it.'

"Upon this statement of the jailer, and in view of what Sheriff Dote had said to me in the same strain, I thereupon made a statement as to the occurrences on the night when Mr. Powell was killed, following as nearly as I could what these men had told me Mayhew had said. My statement was taken down in writing, and I swore to it. I made that statement in the manner I have described, because I believe from what was told me by Sheriff Dote, and McDougall, that it was the only thing for me to do to protect myself. I now declare that that statement was entirely untrue, in so far as it implicated either Mayhew or myself in the killing of Mr. Powell."

Missing Money Clerk Located.

Kansas, City, Nov. 28.—George E. Ross, missing money clerk for the Pacific and United States Express companies, has been located in St Louis by the surety company that furnished his bond, and is now under servellance by them. It is now stated that the express company officials had all along known of Ross' exact location, but have kept it quiet, because there are, it is said, others implicated who are not yet in custody. Last Sunday there was handled through the office over which Ross presided money packages containing $110,000. Already $2300 of this amount is known to be missing, and the books are still being gone over.

More Frohman Theaters.

Cincinnati, Nov. 28.—Daniel Frohman has secured the control of the two leading theaters of Cincinnati, the Grand Opera House and the Walnut Street theater, and will control the bookings at these houses and share in the profits. Mr. Frohman becomes a partner with the proprietors, Messrs. Rainforth and Havlin, and thus adds these theaters in Cincinnati to the Frohman syndicate. The agreement is for a term of five years. The local managers look on the arrangement as one that will add to the value of the attractions that will be presented in Cincinnati.

Very Rainy Day at Canton.

Canton, O., Nov. 28.—With rain falling almost incessantly, Major McKinley kept close to the house yesterday, reading the papers, giving some attention to his heavy mail and receiving a number of callers. Among the latter were Hon. John H. King, a prominent attorney of South Dakota, who, being en route from home to Washington, stopped over to pay his respects to the president-elect, and D. A. McKinley, a business man of Detroit. At noon there was an informel lunch, at which a number of relatives joined the family.

Japs Seeking Information.

Cleveland, Nov. 28.—A party of five Japanese gentlemen, who have been detailed by the government at Tokio to make a tour of this country and Europe in order to secure ideas to be utilized in the construction of an immense steel plant in Japan, have arrived in this city. The plan of the Japanese government is to purchase $2,000,000 worth of machinery for the new factory, but to order none of it until the tour of inspection has been completed. Steel rails will be made the principal product of the new factory. The party is headed by Machitare Oshima, technical director of the imperial steel works of Japan.

The Mary J. Kidder Case.

Wilton, N. H., Nov. 28.—The coroner's jury, which has been listening to testimony at the inquest conducted by Coroner Shea of Nashua over the body of Mrs. Mary J. Kidder, last night returned a verdict which sets forth that Mrs. Kidder's death was caused by hemorrhage from an unskilled operation in removing a cancer from the breast. Dr. Musgecott of this town, who was arrested on a charge of manslaughter in connection with this case, has been released on $2000 bail.

Collected Political Assessments.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The secretary of the treasury has dismissed William R. Morley, engineer of the public building at Denver, for collecting political assessments from government employes in violation of the civil service commission. Morley's room in the postoffice building was a political headquarters during the campaign. The case has been referred to the attorney general for prosecution of those persons alleged to have violated the law.

Tampa In Mourning Garb.

Tampa, Fla., Nov. 28.—Yesterday the Cubans of this city held their annual mourning celebration to commemorate the execution of the eight medical students, who were the victims of a vicious Spanish mob in Habana on Nov. 27, 1871. With few exceptions every Cuban residence had portraits of the unfortunate students decorating the walls. These were draped, as were the fronts of many of the residences.

He Was a Nimble Thief.

Lebanon, Pa., Nov. 28.—The amount of money stolen by Cashier John H. Hoffer from the First National bank of Lebanon is $110,173. There were other transactions with Lebanon banking institutions, which, it is stated, will swell the total amount of his speculations to $200,000. Several prominent business men of this place were endorsers for Hoffer, and will lose heavily by his dealings.

Maguire Resting Quietly.

Boston, Nov. 28. — The improvement noted in the condition of Hon. Patrick Maguire, the Democratic political leader, who was the victim of a stroke of apoplexy on Wednesday, continues, and he is resting quietly. He is conscious, but only the members of the family are allowed to see him.

The Texas Severely Criticised.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The navy department has received the report of the court of inquiry which investigated the condition of the battleship Texas. It is understood to be a severe criticism of the ship, but the naval officers will make no statement concerning it, as it has not yet been passed upon by Secretary Herbert.

A Barrato Mine Closes Down.

London, Nov. 28.—A dispatch to The Daily Telegraph from Johannesburg, South African republic, says that the Langlagate royal, one of the Barnato mines, announces its closing down, due to the heavy cost of working it. This action, the dispatch adds, has created a profound sensation.

Prince Goes to Halifax.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The Italian cruiser Cristoforo Colombo left her anchorage in the harbor at 4 p. m. yesterday, bound for Halifax. Prince Luigi arrived in the city from Philadelphia and joined the cruiser. From Halifax the Colombo will proceed to the Azores.

A Reformed Train Robber.

St. Louis, Nov. 28.—Frank James, a brother of Jesse James, the notorious train robber and ex-member of the James gang of outlaws, is an aspirant for the St. Louis police commissionership, and Chief Harrigan will be his friend in the race.

Cut In Miners' Wages.

Denver, Nov. 28.—The Denver Times says that the Anaconda Mining company at Butte, Mon., has given notice to its men of a cut in wages, commencing Dec. 1, from $3.50 to $3 a day, and that other big mining companies there intend to follow suit.

We've had a crowd of buyers the past week picking out the bargains in our boys' department.

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OVERSEERS OF POOR.

Held a Regular Meeting Yesterday and Considered Several Matters.

The regular meeting of the board of overseers of the poor was held yesterday afternoon and several pardons were granted.

Overseer McKinley wanted to have the children provided with an education and Secretary Courtney stated that the children are detained at the farm only 60 days and he has endeavored in every case to have a home for them by that time as they cannot be placed in the truant school and it is expensive to board them at an orphan asylum. No action was taken.

Dr. Porter said that two or three old women at the Old Ladies' Home had been removed to the city farm, after having paid their board at the former place. He wanted to know the reason of this and the board will investigate.

Joseph Donahue asked if Col. Pindar had kept within the $25 purchasing limit during the present month. The superintendent replied that he was doing his best to live up to the new rule.

Football.

The Tigers of Centralville again defeated the Dracut football team, Friday morning, near the Dracut oval. The score was 40 to 0, the Tigers having the ball all the time. The game was very one sided, although the Dracuts did some good work at certain times.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned desire to return their heartfelt thanks to their many friends who by their expression of sympathy and words of consolation endeavored to lessen their bereavement caused by the death of their son and brother, John J. Daily.

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The men who threaten to kill their wives or sweethearts are now regarded as dangerous.

All those irate husbands and rattle-headed lovers should be well guarded. They are dangerous cattle.

Are the mill officials responsible in any degree for the race war now in progress by the Greeks, Armenians and Poles against the French?

No tariff legislation is expected at the short session of congress. It will take a long session to bring about conclusions on the tariff question.

Some people would apparently give a great deal for the amount of notoriety which Mr. and Mrs. Castles of San Francisco gained upon their trip to Europe.

Ian MacLaren is "fêtedolized" by the literary people of this country almost as much as was Oscar Wilde, but pardon the similitude, both men are not to be mentioned in the same breath.

It is certain that Cleveland's popularity has waned. With the combined efforts of himself and McKinley, the latter received 272 electoral votes, whereas in 1892 Cleveland alone succeeded in bagging 277 votes.

Secretary Lamont makes his last report as head of the war department and suggests numerous improvements in our coast defenses which a more vigorous foreign policy may make necessary for our protection.

The Fall River Globe says:

Adah Richmond says she was married to John Stetson, Jr., in Providence in 1870. This may be so. A great many queer things have happened in Providence of late years when the police weren't around.

The republicans complain of the great influence of small states on legislation in congress. They speak of it as a positive evil, but to them it would be a blessing if these states voted the other way. Hence the republicans favor the annexation of Hawaii and her admission to statehood so as to aid in improving our legislation.

Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott has astonished a portion of his Brooklyn society by attacking the philosophy of the Declaration of Independence. But there is a large proportion of the people of the United States who would not be in the least surprised at anything that some ministerial quacks may say. Rev. Mr. Abbott probably thinks that it will give him a reputation for profundity of knowledge to strike at a fundamental principle of our government.

Football is becoming a fall fad in this country, but in its present form it should be discouraged. A game in which men have their bones broken or are carried dead from the field is not to be encouraged in any civilized nation. The men who were maimed or killed in Thursday's games were playing the game in the ordinary way. Nobody pretends to say that they resorted to unwarrantable tactics. No, they were strictly within the rules, and that being so it is clear that the rules are dangerous and that the game as it is now played should be discouraged.

A race war is a serious thing and should be stamped out wherever it appears. The French people should not find fault with the Greeks for seeking employment as they themselves are accused of doing once upon a time. If the allegation be true that any overseer at any time played the part of a padrone by putting the Greeks to work he should be exposed. No French operative ever resorted to that method of securing employment. It is equally dishonorable to the giver and the taker of the bribe.

LOCAL OPTION VS. DISTRICT OPTION.

General Martin of the Boston police commission favors the Minneapolis plan of reserving certain districts from the operation of the local option law, but the liquor dealers and the masses of the people are opposed to such reservations in the application of majority rule. If such reservation were made on the license question it would not be surprising to find requests made for similar restriction upon the law that makes drunkenness a punishable offence—to have some districts in which everybody can drink as much as he pleases without molestation. Again the advocates of free liquor in prohibition towns and cities, might ask exemption from the law and if this were granted of course the real object of the law would be defeated. It is a bad rule that does not work both ways. If the present proposition prevails we shall have instead of "local option" district option or ward option. This would drive the liquor business into narrow limits and magnify its evils by concentration so that an outcry for its entire suppression would be very plausible. In any city the interests of the whole are paramount to the interests of any part but the moment the whole is made subordinate to any portion thereof a wrong principle is introduced and only evil can result.

BEHIND THE BARS

Doc. Langley Could Not Furnish Bail.

IS CHARGED WITH GETTING MONEY ON FALSE PRETENSE.

Nine Persons Have Reported Robberies By Him.

Boston, Nov. 28.—James H. Langley, better known, perhaps, as "Doc" Langley, although why such a "sporty" title should be applied to a person of Mr. Langley's dignified appearance is a question which yet remains unanswered, was brought to Boston from Hartford by Inspector Cleary yesterday afternoon.

He is held on an indictment warrant in which there are seven counts of obtaining money by false pretenses. These counts aggregate $3700. Mr. Langley pleaded not guilty to the charge, and was committed to the jail last night in default of bail, which was placed at $7000.

When the news of his arrest was made public several complainants appeared at police headquarters, while others made known their woes in letters addressed to Chief Inspector Watts or to Captain Dugan. Nine have so far appeared with claims that they have been defrauded by this man, and there may be more to hear from.

By their action in causing Langley's arrest the Boston police have given a temporary black eye to the three schemes which he has been floating during the past year.

The most important of these concerns is the National Contract and Supply company. The others are the Boston Leather Goods company and the Niagara Frontier Land company.

Mr. Langley has been in the custody of the police before now. Such detention does not worry him in the least. He simply retains his normal calmness, and somehow manages to squeeze out without being injured. Although several efforts in that direction have been made, the police have never yet been able to land him in prison. Nor will they on this occasion, if he can show that the representations he made to L. J. Wilder of Medway and others were correct.

Mr. Wilder bought $500 worth of stock in the National Contract and Supply company. He thought Mr. Langley was a good man, because some of his friends told him so, and he accepted without question Mr. Langley's statement that of the $200,000 capital of the company $175,000 was paid in in cash. Mr. Wilder claims that this money was obtained from him by false pretenses, because of the falsity of this latter statement.

In the early part of September Mr. Wilder made his complaint to the courts, and when Mr. Langley was informed that a warrant would be issued his attorney replied that Mr. Langley would be in court to respond to it. He was not on hand as promised, however, so the matter went to the grand jury, and was reported in an indictment at the last sitting.

A MYSTERIOUS CASE.

Thomas Halpin Found Dead in Closet of Boarding House at New Haven.

New Haven, Nov. 28.—The dead body of Thomas Halpin, 35, an employe of the New Haven rolling mill, was found in a closet at his boarding house yesterday by John Curry, a fellow boarder. The body was badly discolored about the face and chest, and there was a small wound under the right eye. Near the body was a large pool of blood, and in the hands was a bloody handkerchief. The death is a mysterious one, and the coroner has been able to hold no one as responsible.

Halpin was seen on the street late Thursday night, when he was seen to fall on the sidewalk near his house. He was helped to his feet, and later went to a saloon, where he purchased a glass of beer, and went toward his boarding house. Halpin had lived in New Haven since June, 1895, with the exception of a few weeks which were spent at his home in Troy, N. Y. The remains have been prepared for shipment to Troy.

The coroner is of the opinion that Halpin, after reaching his room, was overcome by what he had drunk and sustained a fall, resulting in injuries from which he bled to death.

Bullet Finally Killed Him.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 28.—Melvin H. Robbins of 269 West Third street, South Boston, died at the home of Horace Marston in South Orrington yesterday. He came to Bangor about three weeks ago, on his way to Orrington, with the deliberate intention of killing himself. While here he bought a revolver, and, when he arrived at Orrington, went out in a clump of bushes behind the Marston homestead and shot himself through the brain. A singular feature of the case was the fact that in the shooting Robbins severed the optic nerve and was rendered entirely blind, but was able to get up and move about and swear at the doctors, whom he called "——butchers."

Bogus Check Swindler.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 28.—A swindler has been working this city unsuccessfully with bogus checks for a few days. His method has been to send a boy to a store in the evening with a note signed with the name of a customer, and asking that the merchant cash the enclosed check, as it is after banking hours and a valuable c. o. d. express package has just arrived and the expressman is waiting for the money. The checks are bogus. So far he has secured no victims, however.

Massachusetts Teachers Confer.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The 52d annual meeting of the Massachusetts Teachers' association begun yesterday at the English high school. The morning exercises embraced matters pertinent to high school teachers, and so numerous were the papers and so extended the discussion of them that a greater part of the afternoon was also taken up in considering many varied and interesting educational questions.

Was Instantly Killed.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 28. — John Elligan, aged about 45, formerly residing in this city, but more recently in Whately, was instantly killed in the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad yard in this city by falling or jumping from the New York express about 6:30 o'clock last evening. He was unmarried, and has relatives living in Whately.

Sambril Harris Brought Back.

Boston, Nov. 28.—Officer C. F. Litteny of the state police and Deputy Sheriff Leonard of Fall River arrived in this city last night from Cleveland, having in custody Sambril Harris, the story of whose misdeeds at Fall River has already appeared in the press. He was taken to Taunton.

Was Oldest Man In Town.

Norway, Me., Nov. 28. — Luther F. Pike, the oldest man in Norway, died yesterday, aged 92. He was a wealthy and prominent citizen, a money loaner and director in the Norway National bank. He leaves two sons.

Over One Hundred Years Old.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 28.—Andrew Smith, who was over 100 years of age, died at his home in Chicopee yesterday of old age. He was a native of Ireland, and came to this country 50 years ago.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Hon. William Bassett of Berlin, Mass., is dead.

A great waterfall has been discovered in Venezuela.

New York city banks have gained this week a little over $1,500,000.

The civil service commission will hold a special meeting at Washington on Tuesday.

The New York Academy of Design has appointed a committee to select a site for a new building.

Mrs. Inez Sprague was unable to appear at a concert at Infantry hall, Providence, owing to a sudden indisposition.

Professor Benjamin Apthorp Gould died at his residence in Cambridge, Mass., Thursday, in his 73d year.

Louise Michel, the well known anarchist advocate, has started for London for a brief stay prior to a lecturing tour in the United States.

Frank Johnson, colored, was hanged at Columbia, Tenn., yesterday, for the murder of Austin Rye, whom he killed on Aug. 1 last, and afterward robbed of $5.

At the silver Democratic municipal convention in New Haven, W. H. H. Hewitt, a prominent real estate man, was nominated for mayor, and Eugene R. Hubbard for police commissioner.

The independent Citizens' caucus in Newburyport, Mass., renominated Andrew R. Curtis for mayor, Henry J. Noyes, James D. Lewis, Benjamin P. Ireland, Abram A. Crabtree, Edward G. Moody and William C. Coffin for aldermen, and Benjamin F. Hathaway for overseer of the poor.

Bad Showing For Gold Cure.

Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 28.—At the Soldiers' home investigation yesterday the witnesses before the congressional committee were members or ex-members of the home, who testified to the kindness of Governor Smith; that old soldiers were not compelled to take the gold cure, and that brutalities were not practiced. Statistics of arrests for drunkenness in the home, which were asked for and presented, seem to make a poor showing for the cure. In 1890, before its use, there were 73 arrests, while in 1895 there were 1201.

Railroad Men Gathering.

St. Louis, Nov. 28.—Prominent members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen are arriving in St. Louis, preparatory to what is intended to be a monster open mass meeting of railroad men at Druid's hall Sunday afternoon. The meeting was called by the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and will be part of a general movement for concerted action by railroad organizations toward securing the passage by congress of the arbitration bill, and also that defining the offense of contempt of court.

Pneumatic Mail Service.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Pneumatic mail service over the Brooklyn bridge and linking the New York and Brooklyn postoffices, and in Philadelphia connecting the main postoffice and the depots of the Pennsylvania and Reading railroad, is provided for in a contract signed at the postoffice department yesterday afternoon. The terms of the agreement are not announced. Work on the tubes will begin at once.

Waterville Sent Assistance.

Winslow, Me., Nov. 28. — By a fire which caught in the stable owned by Walter G. Reynolds yesterday afternoon the stable and adjoining house occupied by Mr. Reynolds were burned. The loss is $2500, with an insurance of $2000. The Waterville fire department sent a steamer to give assistance.

A Discredited Report.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—The report published here that President Faure will visit St. Petersburg in the middle of April is discredited, especially as the Baltic will not be navigable then. In official quarters nothing is known of the president's intention to visit Russia.

Closed on Executions.

Niagara Falls, Nov. 28.—The Niagara Glazed Paper company's plant has been closed on executions held by the Traders' Paper company of Lockport and the First National bank of this city. The plant is located just east of the canal on Erie street.

Wheat Importation Authorized.

Lisbon, Nov. 28.—The government of Portugal has authorized the importation of 138,000,000 kilos of wheat to supplement the deficiency in the national supply.

Sugar Bounties In France.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The customs committee of the chamber of deputies, yesterday, adopted the sugar bounties, 3½ francs to 4½, and also a tax of 2 francs to 2½ francs, according to distance, on colonial and French raw sugars sent to port refineries.

Spain's Other Rebellion.

Barcelona, Nov. 28.—Two battalions of troops and a quantity of war stores were dispatched from here yesterday for the Philippine Islands.

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PRES. CLEVELAND

Has Bought a Home in Princeton, N. J.

THE NEGOTIATIONS HAVE JUST BEEN CLOSED.

Will Enter It on Leaving the White House.

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 28.—Last night Professor Andrew West, in an interview concerning the rumor current that President Cleveland intends at a future date to make Princeton his home, authorized the following statement:

"President Cleveland yesterday purchased the former residence of Mrs. Slidell on Bayard avenue, this town, and after the expiration of his term of office he will make Princeton his permanent home. Negotiations which have been in progress for about three weeks were closed by the purchase of the property named. Numerous reasons were advanced by the president as influencing him in making his choice of a home: Princeton's nearness to New York city, its quiet and undisturbed home life."

The amount of the purchase is said to be between $30,000 and $40,000.

Railroads In Maine.

Augusta, Me., Nov. 28.—The railroad commissioners have given out to the various railroad companies certificates of the physical conditions of their roads. Many improvements have been shown in the Maine Central. A double track has been extended from Yarmouth Junction to Freeport. Bridges have been strengthened at most of the places where they were injured during the March freshet, also many new iron bridges have been constructed in place of the wooden ones. The Bangor and Aroostook and Bangor and Piscataquis have made many improvements. The roadbed and tracks are in the best of condition. The Grand Trunk has placed some new iron bridges, but they are rather light for heavy loads, although sufficient for the rolling stock in use at present. The Canadian Pacific has recently put 41,000 yards of ballast and 98,000 new ties. Many improvements have also been made in the other railroads.

Bright Outlook For American Tin.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—The American Artisan says: The outlook for American tin plates is very bright, prices have already gone up and manufacturers, with scarcely an exception, look for further advance. As regards the possibility of a higher tin plate tariff, the reports are at wide variance, some firms are not looking for a change, others expect a change just as soon as McKinley can get the next congress together. Every manufacturer is firm in the opinion that the Welsh tinplate manufacturers cannot regain the trade they have lost in this country, the firm making no qualification whatever saying: "The Welsh tinplate makers cannot regain lost ground if the tariff is left as it is."

Republican Primaries In Lynn.

Lynn, Mass., Nov. 28.—Hon. Charles H. Baker was nominated for mayor by the Republicans at the municipal convention last night. The aldermen nominated were: Ward 2, George Welles; ward 3, George H. Sampson and James H. Seavey; ward 4, Edward P. Cushman; ward 5, Walter O. Faulkner and Thomas F. Porter; ward 6, George H. Harwood and Warren P. Babb; ward, 7, William L. Beckwith.

Revolution In Uruguay.

London, Nov. 28.—The Times' dispatch from Montevideo, Uruguay, says it is stated at Blanco that a revolution has broken out in the northern and eastern departments, armed bands having crossed from Brazil and cut the telegraph wires. The government is taking every precaution, although no fighting is yet reported.

Will Resume Operations.

North Adams, Mass., Nov. 28.—The Johnson and Dunbar gingham mills will resume operations next week, after a shutdown of nearly six months.

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—OF—

City Elections,

DECEMBER 8, 1896.

City Clerk's Office, Nov. 17, 1896.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of Title V of Chapter 417 of the Acts of the year 1893, that meetings of the citizens of Lowell qualified to vote as the law directs, will be held on Tuesday, the Eighth day of December, 1896, in the several precincts of the different wards, at the following places:

WARD ONE.

Precinct 1—Booth, Elliot street, cor. Middlesex street.

Precinct 2—Jackson hall.

Precinct 3—Booth, cor. Bridge and First streets.

WARD TWO.

Precinct 1—Booth, cor. Merrimack and Tremont streets.

Precinct 2—Booth, Mann school yard.

Precinct 3—Booth, North Common, opp. Morrill school.

WARD THREE.

Precinct 1—Booth cor. Rock and Willie streets.

Precinct 2—Ward room, engine house, Branch street.

Precinct 3—Booth, junction of Middlesex, Branch and Dover streets.

WARD FOUR.

Precinct 1—Booth, cor. Thorndike and Highland streets.

Precinct 2—Booth, cor. Congress and Gorham streets.

Precinct 3—Ward room, Lyon street.

WARD FIVE.

Precinct 1—Booth, George street, cor. Church street.

Precinct 2—Booth, Hosford Square, Central street.

Precinct 3—Booth, cor. Chestnut and Fayette streets.

WARD SIX.

Precinct 1—Booth, Bridge street, near Hampshire street.

Precinct 2—Booth, West Third street, near Bridge street.

Precinct 3—Booth, Lakeview avenue, near Aiken avenue.

WARD SEVEN.

Precinct 1—Ward room, engine house, Fletcher street.

Precinct 2—Booth, Willie street, at Lighting station.

Precinct 3—Booth, Riverside street, cor. Mammoth road.

WARD EIGHT.

Precinct 1—Booth, Chester street, cor. Westford street.

Precinct 2—Booth, Plain street, near Chelmsford street.

Precinct 3—Booth, Lincoln street, near Quebec street.

WARD NINE.

Precinct 1—Ward room, engine house, High street.

Precinct 2—Booth, cor. Rogers street, and Fort Hill avenue.

Precinct 3—Booth, Moore street, near Gorham street.

The polls to be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and closed at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Then and there to give in their votes on one ballot, for Mayor, nine Aldermen, Chief of the Department of Supplies, and in each ward for three Common Councilmen, and in Wards number Three, Five, Six and Eight, for one Member of the School Committee from each of said Wards, and in Wards number Five, Six, Eight and Nine, for one Overseer of the Poor from each of said Wards, also at the same time and place, and on the same ballot, to give in their votes "Yes" or "No" on the following question, to-wit: "Shall licenses be granted for the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City?"

Also at the same time and place, in Wards number Three, Five, Six and Eight, for meetings of women, qualified as the law directs, to give in their votes, on a separate ballot, for one Member of the School Committee from each of said Wards.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen,

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FOR SALE—A two-tenement house near Moody avenue, and a cottage of 7 rooms close to the Sterling mill. These places will go cheap Lilon easy terms; for which you can apply to "B," Sun office.

GOOD INVESTMENT.—500 shares stock in active company for sale at $4 per share, must be sold to settle estate. Address post office box 1694, Boston.

FOR SALE—Near Chelmsford street. Good cottage house, near mills. Price, $1000. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

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FOR SALE—In Centralville, 7 room cottage house, in good repair, 8 minutes walk to mills. This is a bargain. Price, $1800. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

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WANTED—Your child to have Rosy Cheeks, Pure Blood, to rest well. Get a box of the Athan Worm and Scrofula Tablets at all druggists. Price 25c., prepaid, by the Lowell Chemistry Co.

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ALL LADIES having a few hours leasure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $15 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelop. Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Low's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 47 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MOODY STREET BRIDGE HOUSE LOTS.

New Bridge will be completed in a few days. The electric road is being laid across the bridge. Sewers, gas, city water, etc. 70 houses have been built in the last 8 months, and a large number are being built at the present time. Don't delay, choice lots are going quick, prices are low, only 10, 12 and 15c. per foot, easy monthly payments. Call for plans, terms etc. On the land every afternoon.

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THE BANKS ARE HUNTING FOR BORROWERS.

The Revival Evident Over the Country.

New York, Nov. 28.—R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say: When the rush of orders after the election slackened many began to think business dwindling. From one town in Illinois, not by many the most populous, 56 trainloads of manufactured goods went out the day after election. But subsidence of such deferred orders is not a decrease of business.

Disappointment is observed in the iron and steel industries, because various combinations have been and are still retarding orders by prices which buyers believe cannot be maintained, and the same is true in boots and shoes and in a few branches of textile goods. But business is on the whole enlarging, and the employment of many more hands will extend purchasing power. Broadly speaking, the gain has been greater than anybody expected, and it is not surprising if a small part of it is in excess of the present consuming demand.

Reports from all parts of the country show clearly the enlargement of trade, not at all points in the same branches, but everywhere helped by a more confident feeling. Extremes of weather have made the week not altogether good for retail trade, but in that line also there is improvement on the whole. Monetary difficulties have vanished as if by magic, and banks with an uncomfortably large supply of idle money are hunting borrowers, as the borrowers were recently hunting lenders.

Wheat has risen over 6 cents for the week, without material change in foreign advices, which have been on the whole less stimulating. Western receipts are falling behind last year's, and for four weeks past have been only 19,012,584 bushels, against 27,902,512 last year, while the Atlantic exports, flour included, has been 6,270,981 bushels in the same week, against 6,265,018 last year, and are not large enough to create excitement.

Cotton has gained only 1-16th, after its considerable decline, and the remarkably heavy movement puts the speculators for an advance in constant difficulties, and yet there is all the time to be remembered the fact that the crop was nearly one month earlier than usual, and the present exchange over last year's movement may be materially reduced hereafter.

Wool was and is still bought largely for speculation, and earlier purchasers are unloading on the latter, but the mills are not yet doing much more than in October. Including speculative operations, the sales of wool have been for four weeks 37,814,100 pounds, of which 26,212,000 pounds were domestic, against 24,296,050 last year, of which 13,381,750 were domestic, and 24,371,8[illegible] in 1893, of which 21,639,196 were domestic. But the producing capacity in operation does not seem to be half the capacity of the works, and the stoppage of several large carpet mills within the past 10 days is of importance.

The boot and shoe industry is still hindered by the general refusal of dealers to pay the advanced prices demanded by manufacturers, except for the limited quantities which are immediately required, and while most manufacturers are working on orders taken weeks ago at lower prices, which will keep them busy for some weeks to come, very little new business is coming. No further advance of importance has been made in leather, and the market for hides has sharply reacted, so that the average of prices is slightly lower than Nov. 12.

Failures for the week have been 200 in the United States, against 279 last year, and 38 in Canada, against 47 last year.

What Bradstreets Says.

New York, Nov. 28.—Bradstreet's today says: Last week's disappointment at the lack of demand in general lines continues, the intervention of a holiday having made the trade quieter and the volume smaller. At some points of distribution there is no change in the situation. Mild and unseasonable weather prevents a more active distribution of clothing and heavy goods, and the volume moving is smaller. Where business has been more active it is due to filling in orders and the demand for holiday goods. Confidence in a revival of a demand, which has not yet appeared, was responsible for the starting up of some mills and factories which are dissatisfied with their prospects. The most encouraging reports are of an improved tone of trade and a favorable outlook for 1897.

There have been heavier sales of wool to manufacturers at firm prices, but woolen mills have only fair orders for spring delivery. Jobbers in textiles report dry goods quieter, due to the holiday, and that jobbers, disappointed in the month's business, are looking ahead to improvement next year. A better demand for shoes for spring delivery has stimulated manufacturers to increase the output, but the request for lumber has fallen off.

Iron and steel manufacturers report demand not equal to expectations, and no likelihood for improvement prior to the new year. Bessemer steel remains firm at pool prices, but billets for export are off $2 a ton. Nails have dropped heavily on the collapse of the pool, and even Bessemer pig iron is shaded on decreased demand and ample supply. Cotton ties are lower, and the steel rail pool has not decided as to quotations.

A large number of changes in prices of staples were downward this week, petroleum, turpentine, hides, apples, cotton and wheat flour being lower, in addition to prices of metals given. Unchanged quotations are reported for wool, print cloths, leather, pork, sugar and coffee, while the leading cereals, wheat, corn and oats, respond with advances, as do prices for lead, lard and tin.

Reaction in the demand which appeared immediately after election, together with the intervention of the Thanksgiving holiday, accounts for the sharp reduction in total bank clearings throughout the country, the total for which is $840,000,000 this week, nearly [illegible] per cent smaller than last week, but 7.5 per cent larger than the corresponding week one year ago. This week's increase, as contrasted with the last week of November in 1894, when business was unusually depressed, amounts to 16 per cent, while as compared with the corresponding week in 1893 the gain this week is 18 per cent. Carrying back the comparison to the last week of November, 1892, a year of large volume of business, the falling off in bank clearings this week amounts to 32 per cent.

There are 295 business failures throughout the United States this week, 13 fewer than last week, seven more than in the week one year ago, 12 fewer than two years ago, and three less than in the corresponding week of 1892. As compared with the like week of 1892, when the volume of business was large and trade was generally prosperous, the increase this week is only 27.

Foraker Calls on Hanna.

Cleveland, Nov. 28. — Senator-elect Foraker was here yesterday, and was for some time closeted with M. A. Hanna. When interviewed later on he said he thought the tariff legislation should be postponed till the next congress. About an extra session he did not know. He said Governor Bushnell is a candidate for renomination for governor of Ohio. Speaking of the talk of Sherman going into the cabinet and Hanna aspiring for senatorial honors he said: "I think all this talk is premature. We think it is largely for the purpose of showing trouble and strife in the party."

Allen's Election to Be Contested.

Boston, Nov. 28.—Hon. John H. Sullivan, Democratic candidate for councillor in the Fourth district, will contest the election of Isaac E. Allen, the Republican candidate, who was recently declared elected, after a recount of the votes, by a majority of 62. A petition for an order from the supreme court, instructing the ballot commissioners to count for Mr. Sullivan certain ballots which were thrown out of the recount, was filed yesterday afternoon.

Lee Will Go Back to Habana.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Officials of the state department attach no importance to the rumors that Consul General Lee will not return to his post at Habana, because he is said to be unacceptable to the Spanish authorities there. There is no present change in General Lee's purpose to return to his post at an early day.

Will Edit the Dartmouth.

Hanover, N. H., Nov. 28.—The following men have won the places on the editorial staff of The Dartmouth, open for competition: R. D. Brown, Washington; F. A. Musgrove, Bristol, N. H.; A. M. Abbott, Glens Falls, N. Y.; E. W. Barstow, Hanover, Mass.; S. Z. Murray, Brooklyn; John Redington, Evanston, Ills.; G. W. Tong, Brooklyn.

Hamburg Strike Spreading.

Hamburg, Nov. 28.—The shipowners and port labor contractors have decided to join the Employers' Federation in order to present a united front to the strikers. The Hamburg-American company's lightermen and ship cleaners have joined in the strike. Eleven thousand men are now in the strike.

Approved by the Queen.

London, Nov. 28.—The queen has approved the transfer of Lord Gough, secretary of the British embassy at Washington, to Berlin. E. William de Bunsen, the British charge d'affaires in Siam, will replace Lord Gough at Washington. Mr. de Bunsen was formerly a British attache at Washington.

Texas Murderer Found Guilty.

Austin, Nov. 28.—The jury in the Burt murder trial have handed in their verdict, finding the prisoner guilty of murder in the first degree, and fixing the punishment at death. The case will be appealed. The crime for which Burt is to hang was the cold-blooded murder of his wife and two children on the night of July 24 last, when he killed them and threw their bodies in a cistern. He then went to Chicago, where he was arrested on Aug. 20.

Terrell Gains Another Point.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The department of state is advised officially that through the efforts of Minister Terrell at Constantinople, the vali of Aleppo has been instructed by the Turkish government to permit boys of that villayet to go to Tarsus to attend the school of the St. Paul institute, a college conducted by American missionaries.

Touched High Water Mark.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The gold reserve yesterday touched high water mark for the present administration. It is, indeed, higher than at any time since the close of 1891, 15 months before the present administration took office, and eight months before the election of 1892.

Election In Santo Domingo.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Consul Grimke reports to the state department from Santo Domingo that President Hureaux was re-elected for a term of four years at the election of Nov. 1 and 2.

Miners Get Their Demand.

Pittsburg, Nov. 28.—The railroad miners of the Pittsburg district will get the advance they have asked for without trouble. The operators generally have agreed to pay the 60-cent rate after Dec. 1, and a meeting will be held next Monday, presumably to ratify this agreement. The advance in this district will carry with it a similar advance in the Ohio region.

Bishop Keane Going to Rome.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Bishop J. J. Keane, late of Washington university, passed through this city yesterday on his way to the east. He will, within a short time, sail for Rome, where he will become a member of the Roman propaganda, and where he will be made an archbishop.

Ohio Coal Mines Closed.

Cleveland, Nov. 28.—A special from Malvern says: At Shrodsville, this county, the coal mines have been closed. The miners to the number of 350 refused to accept the 45-cent rate. They have up to the present time been receiving 61 cents.

Large Elevator Destroyed.

St. Paul, Nov. 28.—Fire last evening destroyed the large elevator of the St. Paul Warehouse and Elevator company on Third street. Loss, $80,000; partially covered by insurance.

Presents Showered on Them.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The Duke and Duchess of Orleans have received nearly 3000 presents from the party adherents of the duke in Brussels in the past three days.

Salem's City Ticket.

Salem, Mass., Nov. 28.—The task of nominating candidates for the city election was completed last night. On the ballot will be the names of two candidates for mayor, 20 for aldermen, 52 for the council and 11 for the school committee.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

Where Lincoln Died.

The United States has become the owner of the property on the west side of Tenth street, between E and F streets, Washington, in which Abraham Lincoln died. The house is situated directly opposite the old Ford's theater, and it was there Lincoln was carried after the shooting, and there he died. The house has lately been occupied by the Lincoln Memorial association as a museum of relics of the martyred president, and it was for the purpose of perpetuating this museum that congress appropriated $30,000 for the purchase of the property.

Grooms Must Have the Price.

Justices of the peace of Madison county, Ind., met recently and formed a novel organization for the purpose of putting an end to deadbeat marriages and also the cutting of rates.

During the last six months they have very seldom got over $1 for marriages, and in most cases 50 cents was all the groom could spare. One of the squire's books showed 13 who had stood him off and another 11, none of whom had paid.

Hereafter it will be $2 straight and money in hand.—Chicago Times-Herald.

November.

Ah, where is that wish for a cot in the thicket,
When birds with their melody gladdened the day,
Where the hum of the locust, the call of the cricket,
Were mocking the indolent hours on their way?
Where the vine hung its generous burden of flowers
O'er the lattice and turned through the elm tree to climb?
Where the sunlight was filtered to stars through the bowers
That shadowed the dial which would taunt us with time?

Rude autumn has blighted the fancy's creations.
No more do we sigh for a dingle or glade.
Toward mortar and bricks and a wall's decorations
Now turn the ambitions which vernally strayed.
The sunbeam is scorned 'neath the gaslights that glimmer.
We mourn not the moss covered rock where we sat
And gazed on the brook with its shadow and shimmer.
Life's object just now is a steam heated flat.
—Washington Star.

A Parting Shot.

Departing Boarder—I'm sorry we couldn't get along, but I hope you are willing to let bygones be bygones.

Landlady—Does that include your board bill, Mr. Jones?—Boston Courier.

Suspected.

He wept and nobly praised the flag
The ancient patriots bore,
When some one asked, "What office
Is the fellow running for?"
—Atlanta Constitution.

Disease is like a devil fish. It has one body with many diverging arms. The man who is grasped by one of these arms may possibly not see that it is directly connected with the others. Nice diseases out of ten start from the same cause. The arms are all attached to the same body. Impure blood reaches out in all directions over the human body. It stretches out a tentacle and grasps one organ or another. It attacks the liver and the sufferer is said to have "liver complaint." It attacks the lungs, and he is said to have consumption. It reaches his kidneys, and the doctors say he has kidney disease and treat his kidneys. These so-called diseases are only symptoms. They all reach back to the same cause, and that cause is impure blood. And impure blood is usually caused by imperfect digestion. The way to kill a devil fish is to attack its head and body. It might be killed by cutting off its arms, but it would take a long time. While one was being cut off, others would fasten themselves on the victim.

The way to cure disease is to cure the cause of the disease—to go right at the head of the matter. There is no use treating symptoms. Disease cannot exist in a body that is perfectly pure and full of healthfull, strength-giving properties. It can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's great medicine, the "Golden Medical Discovery." It is because of its wonderful, blood purifying and invigorating qualities that this remedy is so marvelous in its effect on diseases of the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs. It cures ninety-eight per cent. of all cases of consumption. It stops lingering, chronic coughs, and builds up those who are "run-down," emaciated or debilitated from any cause. It makes sound, firm, healthy flesh. It makes people strong. It invigorates the blood, and stimulates the action of every organ in the body. The three things that it does are the three things that must be done in every case before health can come. It steadies and strengthens the nerves; makes digestion perfect; makes the blood pure and rich. There is nothing in the world just like it. There is nothing in the world that is "just as good," though dishonest druggists will sometimes tell you so, for the sake of the profit they will make on inferior articles.

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POZZONI'S Complexion POWDER

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IT IS SOLD EVERYWHERE.

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That is the price of Tim and that is what Tim is *worth*. Compare Tim with those five-cent cigars that have been reduced from ten, fifteen, twenty-five, and fifty cents and you will find Tim far ahead in quality.

Timothy Gay & Co., Boston.

AN ECHO OF ELECTION

A ROMANCE CULLED FROM THE REALMS OF POLITICS.

A Young Politician Leaves a Bride of a Few Days and Goes to Cuba—He Expected Preferment In the Event of Mr. Bryan's Election to the Presidency.

A. P. Taylor, who until a few days ago was assistant secretary of the national committee of the Silver party, is on his way to Cuba to join fortunes with the revolutionists, and his trip is due to the defeat of free silver. He was a resident of Salt Lake City, where his parents are said to be numbered among the best families. Three months ago he planned to join the insurgents, and his maternal uncle being an official in the United States navy the Cuban junta considered him a desirable recruit. He was promised that he would be taken on one of the filibuster expeditions and upon his arrival in Cuba would be made a second lieutenant.

With the intention of casting his fortunes with the revolutionists on these terms he left Salt Lake City, but in St. Louis an acquaintance told him of an opening in political circles, and secured him a place with the Silver party committee. He remained in St. Louis until the headquarters of the Silver party was moved to Washington, then went to the capital. There he became the assistant secretary of the committee, his intelligence and enthusiasm commending him to the good graces of Secretary Diffenderfer.

One night about six weeks ago Taylor was a visitor at a boarding house where Miss De Mond of Elkhart, Ind., was stopping. To see her was to love her, and he told her so, and suggested they be married the following day. Miss De Mond replied that she could not think of marrying him on such short acquaintance. The next day Taylor renewed his suit. Bryan was sure to be elected, he said, and when the new administration came into power he was to be the private secretary of the vice president. Miss De Mond suggested that there was a possibility that Bryan might be defeated. Taylor insisted that such a view of the situation was preposterous. Thus he argued, and after a week's siege she capitulated. A few days before election they went over to Baltimore and were married. Then came the fatal 3d of November. Probably there were no two persons in the United States who watched the bulletins with greater anxiety than Mr. and Mrs. Taylor. Taylor, with his supreme confidence in the triumph of the silver cause, did not abandon hope until Wednesday. Then he went to his young bride and told her that his prospects of political preferment were wrecked. She asked him what he was going to do. He told her of how he had planned to join the Cuban patriots before he got side tracked on silver. He would accept the offer of rank made him in the Cuban army and would yet win fame and fortune. Mrs. Taylor did not like the idea, but it appeared the only chance, and so in tears she bade him good-by. She has received the following word from him:

"Have taken passage on the Valencia, which sails Saturday for Cuba. All will yet be well, my love. Your devoted husband."

Miss De Mond was seen by a reporter and said that she had no idea when she might expect her husband back, but she hoped to see him return unharmed and with a record of honor.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

FOR A BIG GATHERING.

Christian Endeavor Committee Actively at Work on the Coast.

The committee of 1897, which has charge of all the arrangements for the International Christian Endeavor convention, to be held in San Francisco July 17 to 19, 1897, is actively at work. The committee will arrange for the transportation, reception and entertainment of probably 20,000 delegates from the eastern side of the Rocky mountains.

It has already secured from the merchants of San Francisco a guarantee fund of $18,500, which, with $7,000 subscribed by the Christian Endeavor unions of San Francisco and Alameda counties, gives $25,000 for the expenses of this gathering, which will be the largest ever held west of the Mississippi.

None of this fund will be applied to the personal expenses of any individual attending the convention.

The De Reszke Family.

Last season a gentleman in the stalls at Covent Garden gravely informed a lady: "The De Reszkes are a remarkably clever family. There are Jean de Reszke and Edouard de Reszke and Pederewski."—London News.

CURRENT EVENTS.

The latest name for the sultan is the Royal Ripper.

There are 7,500 inmates of the Massachusetts state prisons and over 100,000 arrests a year are made, which cost the state the sum of $3,000,000 annually.

A citizens' league has been formed in Toronto to put down the bicycle scorcher. The league is composed of the most prominent citizens and is out for blood.

A new hypnotic has probably been found in the Jamaica dogwood. The fluid extract has been found efficacious in dentistry.

It is announced that the Tennessee Centennial exposition, which will be opened at Nashville on May 1, 1897, will cost about $1,000,000. All the money necessary has been subscribed.

The fossil remains of a hog have been recently discovered in the Bad Lands by an expedition led by Professor J. E. Todd, state geologist of South Dakota, and are said to prove that the animal must have been as large as a medium sized elephant.

The salmon pack in British Columbia this year exceeds 600,000 cases.

Dispatches from Panama show that work on the canal has not been discontinued.

One of the public schools of Germany, the Gan Ruppin gymnasium, has made it obligatory for all its pupils to learn to ride the bicycle.

In a Berlin insane asylum is a patient, it is said, whose hair changes color with her temperature. When she is cool and quiet, her hair is a light yellow, but when she is restless and excited it becomes auburn. In other words, this is a sort of human development of those little blue and pink litmus paper figures which are sold to act as barometers.

A Mental Affliction.

"It's a sad thing," said the sympathetic man, "but Birkins has become a veritable miser."

"Impossible."

"It's true. The last I heard of him he didn't get any pleasure out of anything except sitting down in his cellar counting his hoard of anthracite coal over and over again."—Washington Star.

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION

Of Yesterday.

THE WOMAN WAS ALIVE

ALTHOUGH GIVEN OUT AS DEAD AT POOR FARM.

Mrs. McGovern's Body Given Out as That of Mary Mungovan—Mistake Discovered by Mere Chance.

Wednesday's papers contained a notice of the death of Mary Mungovan, which occured at the city farm, of which institution she had been an inmate many years. Mrs. Mungovan has a daughter who lives at Miller's Falls, Mass., and she was notified that her mother was dead. She came to this city, made arrangements for the funeral and ordered that the remains be removed to the home of a friend.

This was done, and when Undertaker Davey removed the cover from the casket the people in the house were astonished, for the features were not those of Mrs. Mungovan.

An investigation was started and it was learned that the dead woman was Mary McGovern, who was also an inmate of the city farm, and further, it was learned that Mary Mungovan is still at the city farm, and is alive, hale and hearty.

FUNERAL SERVICES

O'BRIEN—Annie O'Brien, aged 65 years, died Wednesday at St. John's hospital. The funeral took place from St. Patrick's church this morning and a high mass of requiem was celebrated for the repose of her soul. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

DINAN—Thomas Dinan, aged 76 years, died Wednesday at his home, 15 Watson street. The funeral took place from the Sacred Heart church yesterday and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

O'NEIL—The funeral of Joseph O'Neil took place from the Sacred Heart church Wednesday and Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I., officiated. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

MYERS—The funeral of James Myers occurred yesterday afternoon from his late home 7 Whiting street. At the grave in the Catholic cemetery, Rev. Fr. Leonard officiated. The pall bearers were: Messrs. James McCormick, Edward McCormick, Thomas Hunt, John Finlan, John Meaney and Bernard Riley.

REILLY—The funeral of Annie Reilly took place this morning from St. Peter's church. A high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. McDonough. The choir directed by T. F. Molloy rendered Schmidt's requiem mass. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

WRAENN—Margaret Wraenn was buried yesterday afternoon from her parents' home in Fayette street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

BRATTON—The funeral of Wm. R. Bratton, son of Thomas and Norah Bratton, occurred from their home, 32 L street, this afternoon. It was largely attended, and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

MURPHY—Mr. Daniel and Edward Murphy received a telegram yesterday notifying them of the death of their aunt, Mrs. Johanna Kelleher, widow of the late Mortimer Kelleher, at her home 274 C street, South Boston. Funeral from her late residence, Saturday morning at 7.45 o'clock. Funeral mass SS Peter's and Paul's church at 8 o'clock.

ANOTHER THANKSGIVING ROW

Swarthy Foreigners Try to Appropriate Furniture as Usual—McManus There.

It was a great day for foreigners yesterday. There were Greeks and French at war, Poles on the rampage and either Greeks or Armenians doing battle on Charles street. It seems that in the latter case the proprietor of the house and his wife went away in the morning leaving no word as to when they would return. A fellow-countryman whom they owed $15 thinking that they had skipped the town, got Constable McManus to attach the furniture which the pair had left behind.

When McManus got there he found about 35 Greeks or whatever they were in the house, fighting like Trojans, each one claiming his share of the belongings of the runaways.

Of course many of them had no right to the property but they claimed it just the same. McManus and Officer Crowley cleared out the house and attached the goods.

Then the runaway man fooled everyone by returning to find his house locked. He didn't get the keys, however, until he had settled $15 and McManus' fee.

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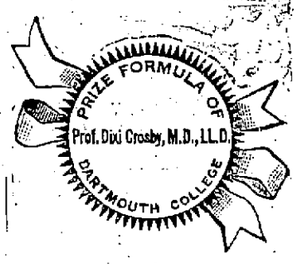
Their friends have tried it.
Men and women in every walk of life have tried it.
A man suffers.
Perhaps he has suffered for years.
He has tried many things.
They have all failed.
He reads a Puritana testimonial.
He reads another.
He sees new ones wherever he looks.
Some of the writers are in his own town.
Some in his own business.
Some he can see.
Some he can write to.
Some have been cured of his own ailment.
Some of other ailments.
All are grateful.
All are glad to tell suffering people how Puritana gave them relief.
They are approachable folks, and their voluntary testimonials count.
Some live in town.
Some in the country.
Some hold office.
Some vote.



But all are honest and sincere.
That is why any one can prove for himself the genuineness of Puritana cures.
Puritana patients get well.
This is a fact.
There are reasons for it.
Puritana is the discovery of Prof. Dixi Crosby.
He was the greatest New Hampshire physician of his day.
He was at the head of the Dartmouth Medical College for a generation.
He used common sense, and found that disease or health came to the body through the stomach.
He scientifically compounded a stomach medicine from the harmless products of nature.
This is Puritana.
It makes the stomach right.
That is why it makes the health right.
With a sound stomach no one can help being well.
That is why Puritana patients get well.
Chemists say that Puritana is a good medicine.
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The materials are the purest and best that money can buy.

Druggists say it is a good medicine. Their customers buy it and are more than satisfied with its effects.
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The thousands of Puritana cures are becoming better known every day.
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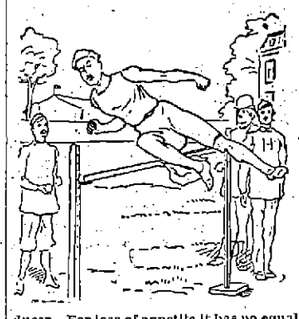

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For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.23, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.45, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.50, 8.30, 9.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 6.30 a. m. 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m; 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, and way stations, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., and the Provinces, 5.10 p. m., (except Saturday, SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, 8.30. a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays, 12.05 p. m.

For Gardiner, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

†Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

Southern Division.

On and After Oct. 4, 1896, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:

For Boston, 5.45, 6.20, *6.50, *7.45, *8.50, *9.00, *11.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, †3.00, 4.25, *6.35 p. m. SUNDAYS, *8.45 a. m.

Trains Leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.45, 6.33, *6.52, 7.01, 7.13, *7.37, 7.23, *7.48, *8.37, 9.03, *9.50, 11.03, 11.43 a. m. 12.16, 1.43, †3.05, *3.55, 4.03, 4.28, 5.22, 5.38, 6.21, 7.51 p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.18, *7.27, 8.48, *9.10 a. m; 4.23, 5.58 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.20, 7.01, 7.33, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.28, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., 4.28, 5.58 p. m.

*Express. †Via Bedford.

For Lawrence, 6.20, 10.00 a. m; 4.15 p. m.

For Salem, and Way Stations, 7.33 a. m.; 1.28, 5.23 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, and Way Stations, 7.10 a. m.; 12.03, 5.50 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.13 a. m.; 1.00, 3.43, 5.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene, 9.13 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.13, 9.40, 10.00 a. m; 12.00, 1.00, 1.40, 3.43, 5.40, 6.17, 8.13, 8.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only) 3.03 a. m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.12, 8.40 p.m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.13, 9.40 a. m; 12.00, 1.40 (to Franklin only), 5.40, †8.12 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 9.13 a. m; 1.40 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.40 a.m; 1.40, †8.40 p. m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.40 a. m.; 12.00, †8.12 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.40 a. m.; †8.40 p. m.

Quebec Express via Plymouth and Sherbrooke—1.40, 8.40 p. m., daily except Sunday.

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THE WEATHER.

Sun rises—6:52; sets, 4:14.
Length of day—9h. 22m.
Full sea—4:45 a. m.; 5:15 p. m.

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Rain; colder this afternoon and tonight; decidedly colder Sunday; southwesterly winds, becoming westerly.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Showers; colder; decidedly colder tonight; freezing temperature Sunday; southwesterly winds, becoming northerly.

LOCAL NEWS.

Always wins, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

If your coal does not suit you, try Mullin the 1018 Gorham street coal dealer. You can get him by telephone conection.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

The Lawrence Sun says: "Bayard couldn't dine with the American colony in London yesterday as he had an engagement to meet "the queen" don't clear know: We notice, however, that Consul-General Collins found time to dine with the colony, no doubt considering it a patriotic duty."

Truant Commissioners Williams, Kelly and Thornton of this city attended the annual meeting of the state association of truant commissioners yesterday.

"Joe" Herrick who had his jaw broken in Thursday's foot ball game was able to be out yesterday, and took a short drive with License Commissioner Brady.

An old lady whom Secretary Courtney had in charge Thanksgiving day had travelled a considerable distance to get here and join her sister, who resides in Belvidere. The old lady arrived here Wednesday evening and told Secretary Courtney that not knowing where to go she remained in the depot all night. Thursday morning she hunted up the secretary and he conducted her safely to her sister.

Wednesday was a hay-day for the market men. Yesterday they did not make enough to pay their rent.

In the Bloomingdale insane asylum at White Plains, N. Y., is a man who thinks he is a costly vase of Bohemian glass, and that he is full of priceless wine. Every Thanksgiving the inmates hold a dance, but this man never dances for fear he will spill some of the wine, but he likes to watch the others.

I hear that the entertainment committee of the Mathews is arranging a course for members that will rival anything ever conducted by any organization in this city. When the Mathews undertake anything they generally succeed.

One of the most dangerous places in the city for drivers is at the corner of Central and Merrimack streets, when wagons are standing in the side of the street and an electric car stops right at the crossing. It is a tight squeeze to get past.

Some of the streets are in very bad condition after the rain, and Supt. Cheney could easily find something to do for a force of men.

Trade was reported dull after the holiday in many of the stores yesterday. Such is usually the case when a holiday falls in the middle of the week.

One of the most novel and attractive signs in the city is the one in Talbot & Co.'s window. The letters are made of a glass chain apparently filled with globules of water all in rapid motion.

The Y. M. C. I. members are at present engaged in a cribbage tournament and some expert players are being developed.

Two men called at a clergyman's house yesterday afternoon. I knew one of them and wondered what his mission might be. I was interested, for I thought he was going to reform. As I passed, I heard one say to the clergyman, "Sir," will you give me a dime, I want to buy a drink for myself and my friend." The one I knew suspecting I might have overheard the request of his friend, hung his head like a coward, and such he must be.

Those who attend the Savoy theatre may imagine that the company has but little trouble in presenting one play each week, but the Kendal Weston company works very hard. To prepare a good and new play each week and present it with all detail is a work that requires great labor and attention. The company holds a rehearsal every forenoon regularly, and at present they are preparing several plays in advance always of course giving closest attention to the one which is first to be produced, but at the same time familiarizing themselves with the dialogue and action of others that are to follow. This is no easy task. Miss Rose Stahl found the work too heavy for her. When presenting "Camille" in which she played the difficult role of that name, she was in several cases so ill that she had to be carried off the stage when the play was over. In one case, too, she was taken ill during the play and there was a long wait between the acts owing to her inability to go on. She was carried to her place on the stage and conjured all her courage and nerve to finish the act. In the dying scene in Camille she was even more realistic than usual on that evening for she was suffering intense pain and was so weak that she was unable to stand when the act closed. This is but a slight insight to what the hard working actor or actress has to encounter in preparing a play each week and assuming a role that calls for strong action or that has impassioned climaxes in which every nerve and muscle in the body must be exerted to portray the sentiment to be expressed. The plays on the tapis at the present time will form an excellent repertoire. They are "The Wife," "Charity Ball," "Sweet Lavender," "Lady Windermere's Fan," "Aristocracy," "Alabama," "Banker's Daughter," "Captain Swift," "Fron Fron," "Moths," and several others to complete the season.

Have you seen the portrait exhibition at the Lowell One Price window?

Thomas Goyette's most beautiful painting of Fr. Garin painted for the last banquet won the gold medal offered by "L Etoile" for the best work. The young artist has a very brilliant future before him. Mr. Goyette is a talented artist and the pictures are very lifelike.

Les Miserables bowling alleys and billiard hall now open. East Merrimack street.

112 Piece Dinner Sets

$5.49. This is a very low price for such good quality. Samples displayed in our show window. Dickson Bros., the Big Tea Dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

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BOURKE COCKRAN

Says Cubans Should Know What We Mean

NOT BE KEPT IN SUSPENSE BY SILENCE.

Uncle Sam Should Speak Out on Question.

New York, Nov. 28.—For the unintentional plucking of a rose from the grave of a Spaniard at Habana, 25 years ago yesterday, eight young Cuban medical students were shot to death by the Spanish soldiery, and 14 or 15 of their associates were sentenced to penal servitude. The plucking of the flower had really no political significance, and years afterward the Spanish government, realizing the fact, released the prisoners and permitted the erection of a monument at Habana to the memory of the eight murdered colegians. The shaft which stands to day bears the single inscription "Innocent."

The Cuban exiles in this city last night commemorated the execution of the students by holding a patriotic meeting at Chickering hall on Fifth avenue. The place was crowded when Dr. Lincoln de Zayas called the meeting to order, and announced Bourke Cockran, Emanuel Sanguilly, Enrique J. Varona and Dr. Enrique Barnett as the speakers.

Bourke Cockran made the principal speech of the evening. Among other things, he said: "Our attitude must be defined so that the patriot and Spaniard can know with whom he must reckon. If the Cuban patriot is to be exterminated, in Heaven's name let him know that the aid he is expecting will not be forthcoming; that the butchery is to be continued, instead of keeping him in suspense by our silence."

At this time a Cuban who had been overcome by passion shouted: "Curse Cleveland."

The speaker, having caught the exclamation, lost no time to reply. "My friend," he said, "no American will bring a curse upon this country by a failure to do his duty."

Resuming his speech, the congressman declared: "It is time this government should speak out and have the courage of its conviction. I hope it does, and it will not be to annex Cuba, but to liberate it."

WEYLER'S LATEST MOVES.

He is Escorted by Twenty-Six Colored Giants—An Important Decree

Habana, Nov. 28.—Captain General Weyler arrived safely at Mariel yesterday, where he was received by the authorities, large crowds of people, etc. He immediately started for Artemisa, and on arriving there, visited the hospitals, found them in an improved sanitary state, and the health of the troops was generally better. From Artemisa the captain general went on to Vuelta Abajo by train, leaving the cavalry and the brigadier general, Calixto Ruiz, to join him later.

General Weyler is escorted by 26 herculean colored firemen. He has congratulated the Trevino squadron in the name of the queen its valorous conduct, name of the queen for its valorous conduct, and has decorated the lieutenant with a cross and conferred upon him a pension for distinguished bravery and work of his troops in the engagement with Sotolongo.

Shortly before leaving here Captain General Weyler signed a decree, ordering the redemption of the present gold bills by the issuance of 20,000,000 of silver bills. The gold bills will be exchanged by the Spanish bank for the new bills from Dec. 1 to Dec. 31. After that date the gold bills still in circulation will be declared equivalent to silver.

The new bills are to be redeemable from and after Jan. 1, 1897, at the Spanish bank with coin. The government will make a deposit with the bank of one-third of the 20,000,000 in coin. It will also levy a duty of 5 per cent on the official valuation of merchandise imported into the island from all countries, the valuation to be fixed in accordance with article 132 of the established custom house law. The duties are to be payable in silver beginning with products deposited in the custom house on Jan 1.

Julio Sanguily's Trial.

Habana, Nov. 28.—The case of Julio Sanguily, the American citizen who is charged with conspiracy against the government, was called in the supreme court yesterday. The judge stated that the trial would take place in public Dec. 21, and the witnesses have been summoned to be present on that date. Sanguily was arrested in 1895, and was convicted by a court-martial, which sentenced him to life imprisonment. He succeeded, however, in having a civil trial granted to him.

Spaniards Fear Congress.

London, Nov. 28.—The Standard's Madrid correspondent says: Madrid newspapers reflect the intense anxiety of all classes as the meeting of congress at Washington approaches. The strongest feeling prevails against any intervention in Cuba, even from the friendliest nation, which, the Spaniards contend, would be a tacit recognition of Cuban belligerency. Spain would prefer the risk of a conflict with the United States.

Officials at the Theater.

Washington, Nov. 28. — Seldom does such a representative audience of Washington official life gather beneath a theater's roof in a single night as that which greeted H. Beerbohm Tree at the Lafayette Square last night. The initial performance of Gilbert Parker's romantic play, "The Seats of the Mighty," was the especial magnet. President and Mrs. Cleveland, Secretary and Mrs. Olney and the entire British embassy were among those occupying boxes, while the body of the theater contained many members of diplomatic corps and prominent society leaders.

Sheriff Tamsen Vindicated.

New York, Nov. 28.—Referee W. H. Robertson's report upon the charges against Sheriff Tamsen of New York is a complete vindication of that official. The testimony is very voluminous, and the report itself is of a lengthy character, each charge being treated separately. There is no general recommendation, but to each of the 19 charges the referee reports that the evidence showed that the sheriff was not in any way responsible for the breaches of discipline, and that he took every precaution to protect himself and the public in his administration.

When you buy Sarsaparilla Ask for the best and you'll Get Ayer's. Ask for Ayer's and you'll get The Best.

IN THE NORTHWEST.

Great Blizzard is Raging With Business and Trains at a Standstill.

St. Paul, Nov. 28.—The wires continue to bring reports of the great blizzard which has been raging in the Dakotas and northern Minnesota for the past three days. The storm is the worst known for many years.

The following specials give some idea of its extent:

Red Lake Falls—Worst blizzard this section ever saw. The snow which has fallen at intervals for several weeks has been piled into huge drifts by a high wind, and all traffic is suspended.

Fergus Falls—Heavy storm still raging. Mercury at zero. Business suspended.

Moorhead — Raging blizzard since Thursday morning. Streets blocked. No trains and business at a standstill.

Fargo, N. D.—Storm still continues with even greater intensity. All wires west and north down. The snow drifts in the streets here are 10 feet high. It is the worst storm for five years.

Stephen—The worst storm ever seen here has been raging since Thursday morning. About two feet of snow has fallen this season, and the storm has drifted snowbanks in some places 10 feet high. Traveling is at a standstill. Trains are stuck in the snowdrifts.

A special from Kulm, N. D., says it has snowed there almost continuously since Oct. 31.

Sheehan Will Rule Tammany.

New York, Nov. 28.—John C. Sheehan, leader of Tammany Hall, will continue in charge of the policy and fortunes of the organization. This is the decision which Richard Croker has reached after a careful examination of the situation. Mr. Croker will remain long enough to see him safely through the primaries, and will probably return to England in January to attend to his racing interests there. "I have no intention of retiring," said Mr. Sheehan. "I do not understand how such stories could originate. I don't think that I have given any indication of intending to resign. There is much less pleasure in the leadership of Tammany than most people suppose. There is more responsibility in it than in a public office. I know that Mr. Croker does not care for it. He has had as much experience in public life as he desires, and he will not again take active charge of the organization, though he will always take an interest in it."

Cold Day in Denver.

Denver, Nov. 28.—With the exception of 1877-1880 and 1888, yesterday was the coldest day ever known in Denver in November since 1871, prior to which year there is no official record. The weather bureau thermometer registered 9.2 degrees below zero at 6 a. m. Passengers on the incoming trains tell of a severe blizzard in eastern Colorado and the neighboring state of Nebraska. The snow has fallen steadily for two days, and the wind, blowing at will over the rolling land, meeting with no obstruction, has piled drifts as high as 10 to 20 feet.

Cyclone In Mississippi.

Tunica, Miss., Nov. 28.—A cyclone passed through the northwest corner of this town, traveling in a northwesterly direction. One end of a freight car on a switch was blown down, crippling a teamster and three horses. Three houses on R. C. Irwin's place were blown down and one on the Fulmer place. Sarah Clay, colored, was killed, and Sam Clay seriously injured. Their three children were wounded. The woods near here are strewn with household ware and bedding.

Montana's Coldest Night.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 28.—Last night was the coldest night through the state that has ever been known. At 7 o'clock in the evening the mercury ranged from 20 to 25 degrees below zero in various parts of the city. The weather bureau here reports the temperature in the northern part of the state to be from 15 to 20 degrees colder than it is in Helena.

Football Player Badly Injured.

Boston, Nov. 28.—Left-tackle McCarthy of the Boston university football team was seriously injured in the game with Boston college Thursday afternoon. McCarthy was twice laid out in scrimmages, the last time being in the final rush of the game. He was carried to the dressing room in an unconscious condition, and has not since regained his senses. Examination by a physician disclosed numerous wounds, the most serious being one on the back of the neck, which will probably result in brain fever.

Accident In Big Wheel Pit.

Niagara Falls, Nov. 28.—An accident occurred in the big wheel pit yesterday morning, by which Stephen Soobiski, a Pole, was killed, a man named Santoss was so badly hurt that he is paralyzed, and will die, and another man had several bones broken. Notification was given that a blast was about to be let off, and the men started for a ladder. About a dozen got on the ladder at once, when it broke, letting them fall to the bottom.

Joseph W. Rinehart's Trial.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—The trial of Joseph W. Rinehart, ex-president of the Santa Fe railroad, and John A. Halley, ex-traffic manager of the road, has been finally set before Judge Grosscup for Jan. 4. The men are indicted for violation of the interstate commerce laws in making a rebate on regular rates to the Hammond Packing company of Hammond, Ind., and Nelson Morris & Co. of this city.

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WILL COMMENCE AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH.

A Fine List of Topics and Speakers Announced—Services Will Be Open to the Public—Novena Will Also Be Held at St. Patrick's—Advent Will Commence Tomorrow—Catholic Societies are Flourishing.

At the Immaculate Conception church tomorrow, the novena in honor of the Blessed Virgin, will commence and will continue till December 8, inclusive. Every evening religious exercises will be conducted and there will be a sermon by one of the clergymen stationed at this church.

The subjects and speakers for the entire novena have been assigned, and those who attend are certain to hear eloquent and instructive sermons.

The list is as follows: Sunday, Nov. 29, "A Christian's Obligation—Sanctity," Rev. Wm. D. Joyce, O.M.I.; Monday, Nov. 30, "Love and Service of God—Happiness," Rev. Fr. O'Riordan, O.M.I. Dec. 1.—"Test of our Love of God, Love of Others," Rev. John J. Dacey, O. M. I. Dec. 2.—"Virtue Dearest to God—Holy Purity," Rev. Fr. Fox, O. M. I. Dec. 3.—"The Dangerous State of a Careless Christian," Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. Dec. 4.—"Our Blessed Lady and the Sacred Heart," Rev. Fr. Fox, O.M.I. Dec. 5.—"Means of Sanctification, Presence of God," Rev. Fr. O'Riordan, O.M.I. Dec. 6.—"Self-Knowledge," Rev. John J. Dacey, O. M. I. Dec. 7.—"The Hidden God," Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. Dec. 8.—"Mary, Our Model," Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I. The novena will be for both men and women, and the service will begin at 6.30 Sunday evenings and 7.30 every other evening. The solemnity of the feast will be observed Dec. 13.

Tomorrow will be the first Sunday in Advent, and from then till Christmas day the "Gloria" will not be sung at the mass.

Monday will be the feast of St. Andrew, a feast of devotion.

At St. Patrick's church tomorrow a novena to the Blessed Virgin will begin.

The 16th, 18th and 19th of December will be ember days.

The feast of the Blessed Virgin which falls on Dec. 8, will be observed on a grand scale in all the churches.

The young people of the Sacred Heart parish are arranging a minstrel entertainment which will be given in January, in aid of the church.

The grounds around St. John's hospital are being graded, and a new fence will be erected.

The Young Men's Catholic Institute has 410 members and is in a very prosperous condition. The Thanksgiving entertainment conducted by the Institute was very successful and will add a neat sum to the treasury.

There are now 69 members in the Catholic Lyceum of St. Patrick's parish. The remodelled rooms will be dedicated next Tuesday evening.

The Catholic church choirs are rehearsing their Christmas music.

SEEKING A PERMIT.

Warren Lewis Wishes to Pull Off Fitzsimmons-Corbett Fight In Brooklyn.

New York, Nov. 28.—Warren Lewis of the Greater New York Athletic club visited the office of District Attorney Backus, in Brooklyn, yesterday, for the purpose of ascertaining if his club would be given a permit for the proposed Corbett-Fitzsimmons bout. Mr. Backus declined to decide the question at that time, but promised to give Mr. Lewis another hearing.

As forecasting the probable decision of the law department of Brooklyn, an official of that city, who is credited with possessing accurate knowledge of the facts, is quoted as having said: "The authorities of the City of Churches will not permit, under the Horton law, or under any other law, the commission of an act that the authorities of Texas, California, Florida, Missouri, and even New Mexico, prohibits. There is no presentation of the case which can make a meeting between Corbett and Fitzsimmons anything but a prize fight. That makes the situation plain to the most inexperienced individual."

Premature and Misleading.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The navy department, yesterday, gave out the following: "Secretary Herbert's attention being called to published reports purporting to give the features of his forthcoming report, he said that all reports of this character were purely conjectural. They are based in part on his former reports, and on the fact that the secretary has received data on various subjects from naval bureau chiefs. What features of this data will be embodied in the report is still an open question. The report itself is not yet advanced in its original written form to completion, and has not been put in print, so that reports of its contents are premature and misleading."

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Even President of the United States Was Refused Credit by Dry Goods Man.

Washington, Nov. 28. — A sensation was created in a large dry goods house on Pennsylvania avenue recently, when the President of the United States was refused a bill of credit.

Mrs. Cleveland's maid alighted from the president's carriage, and, entering the store, drew around her a crowd of shoppers anxious to see what the little Clevelands would wear.

She stopped before the counter on which were displayed children's dress goods, and after selecting several patterns she handed the clerk the order written on paper, bearing the engraved inscription "Executive Mansion," and smilingly said: "Mrs. Cleveland said Charge it to the president.'"

The clerk paused, and then beckoning to the proprietor, who was standing near, they held a conversation.

Again turning to the maid, he said: "I am very sorry, miss, but we charge no goods; we would like to comply with Mrs. Cleveland's request, but we cannot violate our rules. I am sure we would be pleased to accommodate Mrs. Cleveland, but"—here he was interrupted.

"Do you refuse to give credit to the president?"

"Not exactly refuse him, but you see a rule applied to one should be to all, and we cannot make exceptions."

The maid stared at him, then said: "Perhaps you doubt my coming from the White House?"

"Not at all; but we do regret causing Mrs. Cleveland any annoyance."

She replaced the goods and with flashing eyes left the store.

In an interview, the proprietor said: "We, regret the circumstances exceedingly. But it has been our boasted policy to make no class distinctions, and we give credit to none."

BIG FIRE

In Chelsea Does Great Damage to Houses and Furniture.

Chelsea, Mass., Nov. 28.—Roger Walton, who lives at 132 Addison street, was awakened at 1:30 this morning by a crackling noise in the walls of his room. He quickly discovered that his bakery adjoining, as well as his house, was on fire, which had caught to all appearances from an over-heated flue in the baking room. He succeeded in getting his wife and nine children out of the house before the flames gained such headway that that it was impossible to save any of the contents. The fire was a very dangerous one, and occasioned two alarms, as on one side of the house, only 25 feet away, was a gasometer of the Chelsea Gas Light company, containing 75,000 feet of gas, and on the other side was a stable owned by M. J. McCarthy, in which was stored a large quantity of oil. Mr. Walton's loss on his house was $2500; on furniture, $1000; on the bakery, $1500, a total of $5000, with an insurance of $2500.

Highland Billiards.

The results in the individual handicap billiards tournament at the Highland club last night were as follows: Hawes 100 vs. L. F. Kittredge 38; L. F. Kittridge 40 vs. Charlton 80; Charlton 100 vs. A. Kittredge 34; Charlton 100 vs. Shaw 31; Charlton 100 vs. Gray 41; Harris 80 vs. F. A. Smith 37; Harris 80 vs. Shaw 48; L. F. Kittredge 40 vs. A. H. Kittredge 59; F. A. Smith 60 vs. Shaw 40; Shaw 50 vs. Gray 45; Snyder 80 vs. Dickerman 84.

Bishop Lawrence will make his annual visitation to the Lowell Episcopal churches, Jan. 17 and every Sunday until that time a confirmation class will receive instructions at St. Anne's.

At the residence of Mrs. Frank Howe before a select audience yesterday afternoon, Mrs Erving of Boston, read the play, "Folly or Sainthiness" by Echegaray.

There is at least one place where one notices that business is booming. O'Hearn & Dowd's clothing sale is drawing the crowds.

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MISER'S DEATH.

She Died in Poverty With $20,000 Laid Away.

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 28. — Mrs. Margaret French, an aged woman, reputed to be worth $20,000, died apparently in abject poverty yesterday in a room on the third floor of a Concord street block, which she had occupied for the past 50 years. She was a miser, and had never much to say about herself. Her neighbors say that she had not food to keep soul and body together, and she was too close to hire a doctor even in her last days. She leaves one niece in this city, and is supposed to have two nieces living in Philadelphia.

FELL INTO CANAL.

Body Found in Manchester, N. H., of Bert S. Cross.

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 28.—The body of Bert S. Cross, who disappeared from his home on the Island Pond road, near Lake Massabesic, Thursday afternoon, was discovered in the raceway leading to the city pumping station late yesterday afternoon by the squad of police detailed to drag the bottom of the lake. The last seen of the unfortunate man was when he called at the Millham House and tried to obtain some alcohol for bathing purposes for the use of his sick wife. It is thought that he stumbled in the dark in passing along the bank of the canal and fell in.

TERRELL COMING.

Leaves Turkey En Route to the United States.

Washington, Nov. 28. — Secretary Olney has received a telegram from Minister Terrell to the effect that 26 wives of naturalized American citizens, with their children, will leave Harpoot at once for America under proper escort, and that 23 more women, also wives of naturalized American citizens, will leave in a few days. Mr. Terrell is also informed by wire from Marasch that the governor there facilitates the departure of all persons on whose account application is made.

Heavy Apple Shipment.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The largest single shipment of apples ever taken from an American port left here yesterday on the steamer Scotsman for Liverpool, which has on board 21,609 barrels. This exceeds by over 3000 barrels any previous shipment to leave this country.

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RACE WAR QUIETED

Many Greeks Arrested and in Court.

POLICE PREVENTED MURDER IN LITTLE CANADA.

The Culprits Continued in Court Today.

Contrary to the expectations of hundreds the race war between the French and Greeks in Little Canada was not resumed last evening at the conclusion of work in the mills and had it been there would have been a lively time on the muddy streets of that infected quarter, for Lieut. Kew and several officers were stationed at every gate, behind trees and in doorways where fighting was liable to occur, awaiting any trouble and to arrest as many participants as possible without discrimination as to race.

The Greeks thought that they were not being used fairly and at first thought it would appear that way because of the nine men arrested for rioting yesterday morning all were Greeks. That was explained by the fact that the French knowing the locality could elude the police.

About 5.30 o'clock last evening, one of the French rioters was arrested in Little Canada and when the patrol went there the people in the vicinity ran out thinking there was another row.

Many female operatives who saw the Greeks with knives out were frightened into hysterics and have not yet recovered from the shock.

Only the vigilance of the police prevented murder, as the Greeks were desperate and made a lounge with a knife at every Frenchman they could find while they were on the rampage.

Greeks in Court.

There were all kinds of nationalities represented in police court this morning, the Greeks and French predominating.

During the night the police arrested three more Frenchmen and the names of the fourteen are as follows:

French, Joseph Christian; John Geoffrey, Maurice Masson, Joseph Robert and Maxime Robitaille; Greeks, Spyros Vlagunites, Clostos Mathews, Anthony Mazurkarnes, James Pantagakos, George Anostos, Theodoros Harakas, Anthony Bugardes, Uostos Muchinnis and Spiros Lagarnus. All the prisoners were youthful looking except Robitaille, who is an old man. All pleaded not guilty of disturbing the peace and were held in $200 for trial next Wednesday. Many of them found bail.

Police Court—Hadley, J.

Of the four drunks in court this morning Walter Ashworth was sentenced to the reformatory and he appealed while Mary Wilson did likewise when sentenced to the state farm for seven months.

James Devitt was found guilty of stealing an overcoat and was continued until Monday for sentence. The police have another charge for some articles found upon Devitt which they think belongs to some other person.

James Hayes wasfined $25 for assault and battery.

Miss Nellie Galvin who has been visiting friends in this city returned to her home in Nashua, yesterday.

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MRS. COTE BURIED

Funeral Services at St. Joseph's Church.

THE BODY OF COTE SENT TO CANADA.

Great Sympathy for Friends of Murdered Woman.

The last sad chapter of the horrible Thanksgivingday tragedy was concluded this morning when the remains of the ill-fated woman, Mrs. Virginie Cote were tenderly consigned to their last resting place in the pretty French cemetery at Chelmsford surrounded by heart-broken relatives and grief-stricken friends and with the last consolation of the Catholic religion.

Since early Thanksgiving day hundreds have visited the house of mourning to gaze for the last time on the fair face of the deceased and to offer a prayer by her bier and this morning when the funeral cortege arrived at St. Joseph's church in Lee street, the interior of the edifice was well filled, many strangers brought thither by curiosity being in attendance.

When the funeral procession arrived the body which reposed in a neat covered casket was borne tenderly to a catafalque at the sanctuary rail by the following bearers: Messrs. Adelbert Cussette, Sinai Mathe, Odilon Bourk, Napoleon Cussette, S. Dion and Pierre Jalbert.

The windows of the church were sombrely draped while the altar was hung with the customary mourning draperies.

Among the congregation assisting at the mass were many saleshadies and clerks from the principal establishments on Merrimack street with whom the deceased was ever a favorite, and among the mourners were two Sisters of Charity of the Order of Nazareth, and a half brother of Francois Cote, the murderer.

Resting upon the casket were many beautiful floral tributes including one from Chris Holmes, employer of the deceased and another from the employes of that establishment.

Requiem high mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O. M. I., and the choir directed by Philias David, Jr., sang the impressive Gregorian plain chant, Ed. Vincellette presiding at the organ. At the offertory Mr. David rendered "Miserere Mei, Deus" in a feeling manner, and at the conclusion of mass the choir chanted the "Libera Me, Domine."

The scene in the darkened church was strikingly impressive and many there were who wept as the casket was borne away to the hearse when the service had finished.

At the grave in the cemetery the last rites of the Catholic church were read by Rev. Fr. Pettit, O.M.I., after which the interment took place.

Francois Cote Buried.

How different the circumstances connected with the burial of the murderer!

In a small room on Race street, mourned by a faithful mother when all others had fled, the remains of Francois Cote lay in a casket until yesterday afternoon, when they were shipped away like ordinary merchandise for burial somewhere in Canada.

All Thanksgiving night the mother kept her lonely vigil with only a few relatives to offer consolation. Yesterday Mr. Archambeault, who had charge of both bodies, carried the remains of Cote to the Northern station where the half-brother of the deceased had them consigned to White River Junction where it is said connection could be made for Canada. The relatives declined to state just whereabout in Canada the interment will take place for they are crushed by the heavy disgrace brought so suddenly upon them. It is not known who accompanied the remains to Canada if any one did, but it is supposed that relatives met the body at White River Junction.

The murder and suicide is yet the principle topic of discussion in French Canadian circles, for the better class of French residents feel deeply the fact that in these greatest crimes in Lowell of the past decade, the victims have all been French residents of prominence.

A. M. F. Club.

There were forty couples in attendance at the social of the A. M. F. club in Bunels' hall, last evening.

The officers were: General manager, Annie Whalion; assistant, Mary E. Berry; floor director, Frank M. Roscoe; assistant, John J. King; chief aid, John J. Flannagan; aids, Joseph E. Meeney, Michael J. Finley, Frank Kerwin, Daniel Berry, William H. Sullivan and John Clark; reception committee, Annie Donlan, Kitty Whalen, Mary Devlin, Rose Cassidy, Laura Fifield and Nellie Gormley.

United States Cord Co.

The following is the annual report of the United States Cord Co:

Assets—Machinery, $650; cash and debts receivable, $1420; manufactures and merchandise, $500; miscellaneous, $5600; profit and loss, $121,004; total $129,234.

Liabilities—Capital stock, $40,000; debts, $89,234; total, $129,234.

Young Men's Congress.

A number of young men from Nashua will come to Lowell this evening to assist in the formation of the joint Young Men's congress between Nashua and Lowell in this city. The organization takes place at the Y. M. C. A. rooms.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

Ten days remain before the voters of our city will be asked to express a preference for a man in whom will be vested the powers of chief magistrate.

To the voter who is "outside the campaign," so to speak, it seems but a brief time in which to wage so important a contest. Surface indications are that the present is an exceedingly quiet canvass on both sides, but such is not the case.

So far as the democratic forces are concerned, the battle has been fought vigorously since the moment when the returns indicated Mayor Courtney's nomination. His friends, never faltering in their loyalty to him, planned a campaign that must be effective.

Mayor Courtney has the prestige of two good administrations to carry him along with the voters. A reduction in the tax levy is appreciated by property owners, and they are an influential factor in municipal affairs. Then, too, the charter amendments are his creation, for they were prepared by a commission suggested and named by him, after consulting his views.

Many voters regard it as only proper that to him should be entrusted the execution of the provisions of these amendments.

A united democracy will tender its hearty support to His Honor, and his vote will be recruited by volunteers and dissatisfied ones from the other side.

Youth is urged as an argument against the ambition of Charles H. Cosgrove to sit in the upper board. It is well to remember that the Cosgrove property is assessed for $25,000, and surely the city's interests would not suffer at the hands of a young man with that backing.

The board of aldermen, although this year considered comparatively unimportant, should not be allowed to go by default as after all the aldermen will direct legislation for the city ordinance. The legislation it will be admitted is important, as whether good or bad it remains and it is always difficult to get a measure repealed once it is enacted. Therefore see to it that there is a board of aldermen to sustain Mayor Courtney.

A Word to Voters.

When the commissioners recommended that the best way to run the city government in an economic and busines-like way was to reduce the number of persons who had formerly the privilege of spending the city's money. There is an old saying that a person is liable to be very generous with another person's pocketbook, and it has been proven quite recently through the courts that the city has been paying some pretty big prices for some of their supplies, and no one can say just how long this kind of business has been going on, but it is a happy thought to know that we have seen the end of this waste of the people's money, and with the election of W. P. Foye as the city's purchasing agent, you can rest assured that in the future the city's supplies will be purchased at the lowest possible price, and the citizens will rejoice in the change, and every democrat should take a special pride in placing one of their party at the head of this department. Our candidate has superior qualifications for the position as he has had years of experience in competing with others in the open market and successfully competing with others in his own private business. Democrats see that you put a cross alongside of the name of W. P. Foye election day, and the city's interests will be all right in his charge and the tax payers will be pleased with the results. A Voter and Tax Payer.

MRS. McGOVERN BURIED.

At the Expense of Miss Mongovan—She Will be Repaid Perhaps.

The remains of the late Mary McGovern were interred in the Catholic cemetery this morning.

The funeral took place from Undertaker Davey's ware-rooms and was attended by several of her relatives.

The remains were in the casket purchased by Miss Mongovan, who was informed through mistake that the dead woman was her mother.

Every detail of the funeral was carried out as originally planned by her, and the expense was borne by her. It was necessary to obtain a new burial permit and that was done yesterday afternoon.

DEATHS.

CARLTON—Oren C. Carlton, for many years one of the best known residents of Centralville, died yesterday afternoon at the city hospital, where he had been for the past ten days. He was a carpenter by trade and held the position of fish warden for several years.

BURGESS—Mrs. Elizabeth A., widow of Thomas F. Burgess, died at her residence, 92 Hastings street, yesterday, Nov. 27. She was a native of Lowell, the daughter of the late Benjamin Richardson, and was 58 years of age.

CORNIHIE—Catherine Cornihie, aged 90 years, died this morning at her home, 366 Market street. She leaves three daughters, Bridget Collins, Mrs. Carroll, and Mrs. Dickey of Iowa City.

McCARTHY—James McCarthy, aged 3 years, child of John D. and Ellen McMcCarthy, died last evening at 7 Lowell Place.

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VISIT TO LOWELL

Mr. Fletcher Pens Some of His Reflections.

WHAT HE SAW ON ARRIVING AT DEPOT

And Afterwards—The City Election Touched.

The readers of the Sun will recall the letters of J. W. Fletcher and relish the following from his pen, held over from yesterday. He spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Fletcher:

Thanksgiving brings the many wanderers to the home nest and thousands everywhere turn their faces to old familiar scenes, to forget the fret and worry of active life, amid the quiet, old time surroundings. I was just alighting from the train with all the glare and whirl of metropolitan life still fresh upon me when "Bang, bang, three cheers, Hurrah," filled the air and hundreds of voices, flashing lights, blazing rockets filled the air. I at first thought it must be that the modest young "Sliver" who was beseeching the good citizens of Lowell to reconsider him or that they were in some way celebrating the fact that there was to be a rest for a time at least from his forensic eloquence. Or, well it couldn't be my own arrival that was of no importance to anyone but myself. "What's all this about?" I enquired of one of the most intelligent bystanders who work very hard—doing nothing. "This? why this is our Mayor, he's been and got married, and a grand time—"bang, bang". Gosh, there goes a plate glass window in Richardson's. Sky rocket gone clear through it, well. He's worth it, and besides a man don't get married every day. It really proved to be the greeting of the 110 club to the mayor, celebrating his return from his wedding trip. "He's a beauty, no mistake" and the tone of admiration seemed heartfelt as a gentleman and lady, looking excessively bored, but trying to appear self-possessed and pleased stopped for a moment and looked out over the crowd:"

"It was a great wedding" chatted on my informant. "Everybody was there and they did the thing up in great shape." "Were you there?" "Well no, guess they forgot me, they did forget a good many, but everyone went who could."

Then I fell to musing as the bridal pair were driven down the street, away to their future home. Away to take up the lines of a new life, with new cares, new pleasures and new responsibilities. After all, what a "time" is made in giving public weddings, how much a man has to pay for being in public life quite outside of duties of his office. And when he is popular and good looking, the duties and obligations are doubly onerous. His every act, look and word are brought under the ban of a not always friendly criticism, and I can quite imagine that this affair of Mayor Courtney's may or may not rebound to his otherwise unquestioned popularity. Is the old superstitution true, that breaking glass is a bad omen, and the little episode of the sky rocket and window prophetic of a halt in his career and a presaging of loss in the coming election?

Probably not, but if yes, he has the consolation of newly acquired joys and can quite easily rest from the duties that have held him so closely to work during the past two years. I am sure that numberless friends wish them both unalloyed happiness, and the best and brightest of life's blessings. Everything seems about the same, the streets are filled, the election has produced no marked effect, except, perhaps, a little sense of weariness waiting for that long promised "boom" which as yet has not put in much of an appearance.

If are the good things, or the dire disasters, that politicians prophesy were to come true, pandemonium would surely reign, and chaos would be out done. I chanced to go into the little theatre, the Savoy, which is as neat and clean, in appearance as the really charming comedy that was being presented on the stage. I could not fail to see what a change had really taken place since last I had stood within those walls. In the old days the Rev. Mr. Greene, as eloquent and wholesouled a gentleman as ever stood in the pulpit, was then the particular attraction. For years Lowell has been the scene of his endeavors, and noble and consistent work has he accomplished. Now in his new church he is still carrying forward in a larger way what he years ago, began with such earnestness. Meanwhile, the church has ceased to exist, but in a new dress, has been transformed into a charming little theatre. "Our Regiment" is this week's attraction and it would be difficult to imagine a more interesting comedy. Mr. Kendall Weston, was, of course the actor, carrying the play largely on his own shoulders from start to finish. The others were all interesting. If a word most kindly meant would be accepted "I would say that if the performers, would remember that the acoustic properties are perfect, the stage very small and just modify tone, manner and action, somewhat they would attain much better results. This, however, does not apply to Mr. Weston, for he has longer experience and tact, and, therefore, is able to adopt himself more readily to his surroundings. All the same it was a charming evening and furnishes a place of amusement quite as important in its way as the former works of the church.

Just as I am writing I see that Danville Cole, Esq., has passed on to the higher life, toward which we are all tending with hurrying feet. I have known him for many years and I am sure he will be missed greatly both as a citizen and friend. His Thanksgiving day is celebrated in the world beyond, where free from pain and earthly cares, he has met those who have gone before. What a change death does really make? How never again are the broken threads of life taken up as of yore. We may not fully see what the change is to those who go. We know what it is to those of us who remain. May everyone when that moment comes, feel that life has not been vain or empty, and be able to look with hope and assurance to the light of that day, the end of which the wisest may not know. And so Thanksgiving is over and we are again in the line of our work, waiting for the chance to say, "Merry Christmas to all."

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LATEST

A STORM COMING

Which Was Not Equalled For Years.

TRAINS ARE SNOW BOUND AND TRAVEL STOPPED.

It is Moving East from Minnesota.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 28.—A special from Aberdeen, S. D., says the storm has not been paralleled since the great blizzard of '88. Snow drifts on the railroad tracks are six feet deep, and traffic is terribly blocked. A train at Bath and another at Hillsview are fast in the snow. It is moving eastward.

Appointed Collector.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The president has appointed Hiram Macintosh collector of customs at Newburyport, Mass.

HORSE AND CARRIAGE

Belonging to Mr. Mitchell Stolen Last Night.

Fred Mitchell's horse and carriage were stolen by three drunks last night who started off in the direction of Lawrence. The police of that city caught them on the road and held them over night to sober up. This morning Inspector Laflamme brought them to Lowell. They are James Riley who claims to belong to Manchester, Alexander Jennings of this city who has served three years in state prison for breaking and entering, and William Arnold who says he lives in Boston.

A COLD WAVE

Is Due Here Tomorrow Says the Weather Bureau.

The weather bureau sends out the following predictions today: Continued cloudy with probable showers tonight, clearing and much colder Sunday with a cold wave. Southwesterly to northwesterly winds.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.

A Safe was Nearly Opened When Burglars Were Frightened Away.

Burglars attempted to rob the safe at the Opera house about 2 o'clock yesterday morning and were on the highroad to success when the janitor, George Lewis, arrived and the marauders escaped through the darkened house, leaving behind them a hammer and chisel.

FUNERAL SERVICE.

McGAUGHEY—The funeral of Margaret McGaughey took place from Undertaker O'Donnell's warerooms this morning, and interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

BRATTON—The funeral of William R. Bratton took place from his parent's home, 33 Ell street yesterday, and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

LOCAL NOTES.

P. F. Sullivan contributed $10 to the gold democrats' campaign fund.

John F. Murphy has formed a partnership with his brother, a contracting builder of Boston.

Mr. James J. Gallogher, the popular secretary of the Grand Court of Foresters, has gone to Norfolk, Va., for his health.

James Groves and William F. Dempsey have been nominated for the common council in Ward 7 on the democratic ticket.

John H. Nolan has withdrawn as democratic councilmanic candidate in Ward 6, and Bowers F. Hart has been nominated.

There will be a meeting at the John Street Congregational church December 1, at 8 p. m., in the interest of Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute Alabama. It is in the interest of the education of the negroes in the south.

The Health Report.

The health bulletin for October gives the number of deaths as 157, and the death rate at 21.63. There were 22 deaths from consumption against 17 for the same month last year and 5 for cholera infantum against 14 in October last year. The contagious diseases reported were diphtheria, 15; croup, 3; scarlet fever, 9; measles, 54; typhoid fever, 13.

Fraternity Assembly.

The Fraternity club held one of its select assemblies in Associate hall last evening.

The matrons were Mrs. J. Munn Andrews, Mrs. Charles R. Talbot, Mrs. Ralph Brazer and Mrs. Charles T. Billings. Mr. William A. Lamson was general manager, and he was assisted by the following corps of aids: Messrs. James G. Hill, Jr., Eugene F. Bowers, David Moore and Frank F. Lamson. The D. L. Page Co. catered.

Ladies' Aid Society.

The Immaculate Conception church organized a Ladies' Aid society last evening. The preliminary meeting was held last Tuesday evening and was addressed by the Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I. It was attended by about two hundred ladies, married and unmarried. They met in the Y.M.C.I. hall last night and organized as follows: Mrs. Hugh Walker, president; Mrs. Patrick Kenney, vice president; Mrs. M. J. Cahill, treasurer; Mrs. Bernard Burns, secretary.

The next meeting will be held a week from Sunday and the visiting committee will be organized. In the meantime the members of the society will form a soliciting committee and will report at the next meeting. The society will have a festival for the benefit of the poor in January.

The Immaculate Conception Church Calendar will be issued tomorrow and will contain a list of the sermons to be preached during the novena, which begins tomorrow evening preparatory to the feast of the Immaculate Conception.

COMMUNICATION.

A Local Business Man Favors a New Y. M. C. A. Building.

Editor Sun: Shall Lowell's Y. M. C. A. have a new building? This seems to be the upper-most question with many of the young men of our city. A fire was kindled in their hearts last summer, by the articles published through the columns of the late Times and Star, relative to the old B. & M. station as a site for a new building.

This fire has been steadily burning over since, and every now and then it bursts out into a flame. I had occasion to visit the building last Wednesday evening, at which they were tendering a reception to the Y. W. C. A., and I heard a young man in conversation with a gentleman, apparently from out of town, say with all confidence, "we expect to have a much better building than this one, before long."

And why not? We have our gilded saloons to drag young men down, and our prisons, jails, poor farms and asylums, wherein to punish and to care for those thus dragged down. Why not have a Y. M. C. A. as convenient and attractive as the saloon? A place where young men may be surrounded with uplifting influences, rather than destructive.

We have a good building as far as it goes, but it is cramped, and the work handicapped for lack of room and modern conveniences. The Y. M. C. A. is in my estimation one of the noblest organizations on the face of the earth. It should have the strongest support of every true man and woman of our city. I consider money invested in that institution, well invested. The Lowell association has not been what it might nor what it ought to have been in the past, but I know as a business man that it is at present rapidly improving under new and careful management, and I predict for it in the near future the high esteem of all. I am in hearty sympathy with the writer of the articles which appeared in the Times and Star in regard to the B. and M. site. If it is possible to get it I sincerely believe it would be one of the best, if not the very best, investment the business men of Lowell have ever made, to obtain for Y. M. C. A. purposes.

If this site cannot be had, get another. Only let us have a Y.M.C.A. building that shall be an honor to our large and flourishing city, and not a disgrace. Let us have a place convenient and enticing to the young men. A place where the tendency will be to make them better men and nobler citizens. There isn't a doubt in my mind but that many of the members of the association would enter into any work they could to obtain a new building.

For one man, I will go as deep into my pocket as I can to help out any movement along these lines.

A BUSINESS MAN.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

The Savoy.

This afternoon and evening will see the last presentations of "Our Regiment" which has been such a drawing card during the week. The settings in the last act are unexcelled.

At the Savoy the coming week will occur two notable events. The first being the first appearance of Miss Cora Edsall, the Savoy's new leading lady, who will appear as "Constance," and the second being the beautiful production of Bronson Howard's great New York social play "Young Mrs. Winthrop." This play is one of the best of the New York successes, and was produced a whole season at the Madison Square theatre under A. M. Palmer's direction.

Miss Edsall's theatrical experience has been both varied and successful, she having been a protege of Boucicault, of Coquelin, the great French actor, and a successful star under the management of J. M. Hill, as well as playing the leading roles in many big New York productions. She is a very handsome young lady, of good figure, and very pleasant address, and wears some of the most exquisite costumes ever seen. She is sure of a big reception and of a successful appearance on next Monday night. Mr. Weston had hard work to obtain her services, as others were after her, but he in his endeavor to get the best, went to extra expense and secured her for his own company. The company now is stronger than ever, and merit the enthusiastic houses they receive.

Music Hall.

The Lexington, Ky., Press says: "Gorton's Minstrels have been here before and they will come again. We are said to be fond of fine horses, our beautiful women, and our unsurpassed corn juice, but it might be added that we love a good minstrel show. Gorton's Minstrels come up to the Lexington idea; for downright fun their entertainment is not surpassed by any." This company plays at Music hall the first three nights of next week.

EVERYONE LOVES CHILDREN

And so tenderly do some parents love their children that they allow the fancy of the child to have its way in selecting ill-shaped pointed toe shoes with shiny tips.

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THE SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

A TAUNTON CROOK

Held on Charge of Horse Stealing.

BIGAMY AND DISMANTLING A CHURCH.

Escaped From a Train and is Retaken.

Taunton, Mass., Nov. 28—Sambriel Harris, alias Simon Harris, a Hebrew, who escaped from Deputy Sheriff Falvy, by jumping from a train at North Carver, after he had been arrested charged with horse stealing, bigamy and with dismantling the Myrick church here, was brought here from Cleveland this morning. He will be tried next week. He is believed to be an all round crook and the capture is considered a good one.

SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES

Cause an Investigation of a Death at Stamford, Conn.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

New York, Nov. 28.—Relatives of Mrs. Amelia Bangriet who died at Stamford, Conn., Oct. 21, say she died under suspicious circumstances and an investigation will begin immediately. Her husband was a merchant, and was away when his wife died.

HON. PATRICK MAGUIRE

May Die at Any Moment—His Friends About His Bedside.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The condition of Hon. Patrick Maguire, democratic leader, who received a shock of paralysis Wednesday last is not improving and death is expected at any time. His nearest friends are at his bedside.

SEPARATED 25 YEARS.

Two Aged Sisters Re-United On Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Catherine Erskine and Mrs. Anne Murray, two sisters who had not seen each other for 25 years were reunited Thanksgiving day at the latter's home in the Ingham block on Merrimack street. Mrs. Erskine had come all she way from Auckland, New Zealand to meet her sister.

DISCOVERED GROVER.

Morley Claims the Distinguished Honor—Should Get His Find Patented.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Denver, Col., Nov. 28.—William B. Morley, formerly of Buffalo, N. Y., who has been dismissed from the position of engineer of the government building here, claims to be the man who first brought Grover Cleveland out in politics. He was dismissed for "Offensive partisanship."

DIED IN A CAR

At the Union Station This Morning of Heart Disease.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Boston, Nov. 28.—Arnold M. Shaw, baggage master at the Union depot, died suddenly this morning in a baggage car from heart failure.

Favoring Annexation.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Francis M. Hatch, representative of Hawaii in this country has made public a copy of the resolutions passed by the Hawaiian legislature favoring the annexation to the U. S.

Fomenting Dock Troubles.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The Figaro accuses the British of fomenting dock troubles at Hamburg with the idea of drawing German trade to Great Britain.

Awful Blizzard.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 28.—A special from North Dakota says the blizzard there is the worst in five years. Trains are stopped and business suspended.

Receiver Appointed.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 28—Dwight Braman of Boston has been appointed receiver of the St. Louis, Kan., and Southwestern Railway company.

Satolli Denies the Fake.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Rome, Nov. 28.—Cardinal Satolli denies that he made a report in Rome on the Catholic university, Archbishop Ireland, Cardinal Gibbons or other dignitaries.

Vote of Idaho.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Boise, Idaho, Nov. 28.—The complete vote of this state gives Bryan 23,192, McKinley 6324.

HOT FROM THE WIRE.

It is stated in London that the health of Dr. Jameson is seriously impaired.

Pierre Lorrilard's stables at Jobstown, N. J., were destroyed by fire last night. All the horses were taken out. Loss, $10,000.

The Jacques auditorium at Waterbury, Conn., was destroyed by an incendiary this morning.

A special from Neola, Iowa, to Omaha states that J. C. Waite, cashier of the state bank there, is a defaulter in the sum of $10,000.

We've had a crowd of buyers the past week picking out the bargains in our boys' department.

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OVERSEERS OF POOR.

Held a Regular Meeting Yesterday and Considered Several Matters.

The regular meeting of the board of overseers of the poor was held yesterday afternoon and several pardons were granted.

Overseer McKibley wanted to have the children provided with an education and Secretary Courtney stated that the children are detained at the farm only 60 days and he has endeavored in every case to have a home for them by that time as they cannot be placed in the truant school and it is expensive to board them at an orphan asylum. No action was taken.

Dr. Porter said that two or three old women at the Old Ladies' Home had been removed to the city farm, after having paid their board at the former place. He wanted to know the reason of this and the board will investigate.

Joseph Donohoe asked if Col. Pindar had kept within the $25 purchasing limit during the present month. The superintendent replied that he was doing his best to live up to the new rule.

Football.

The Tigers of Centralville again defeated the Dracut football team. Friday morning, near the Dracut oval. The score was 40 to 0, the Tigers having the ball all the time. The game was very one sided, although the Dracuts did some good work at certain times.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned desire to return their heartfelt thanks to their many friends who by their expression of sympathy and words of consolation endeavored to lessen their bereavement caused by the death of their son and brother, John J. Daily.

MRS. ANN DAILY AND FAMILY.

MONEY

Deposited in the Savings Department of the Traders' National Bank, corner Middlesex street and Post Office avenue before 4 p. m., Thursday, Dec. 3, will draw interest at the rate of four per cent per annum from Dec. 1st. Interest compounded semi-annually. Savings Department open from 8 a. m. till 4 p. m. daily, and Saturdays from 8 a. m. till 1 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m. WILLIAM F. HILLS, Cashier.

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The men who threaten to kill their wives or sweethearts are now regarded as dangerous.

All those irate husbands and rattle-headed lovers should be well guarded. They are dangerous cattle.

Are the mill officials responsible in any degree for the race war now in progress by the Greeks, Armenians and Poles against the French?

No tariff legislation is expected at the short session of congress. It will take a long session to bring about conclusions on the tariff question.

Some people would apparently give a great deal for the amount of notoriety which Mr. and Mrs. Castles of San Francisco gained upon their trip to Europe.

Ian MacLaren is "idolized" by the literary people of this country almost as much as was Oscar Wilde, but pardon the similitude, both men are not to be mentioned in the same breath.

It is certain that Cleveland's popularity has waned. With the combined efforts of himself and McKinley, the latter received 272 electoral votes, whereas in 1892 Cleveland alone succeeded in bagging 277 votes.

Secretary Lamont makes his last report as head of the war department and suggests numerous improvements in our coast defenses which a more vigorous foreign policy may make necessary for our protection.

The Fall River Globe says:

Adah Richmond says she was married to John Stetson, Jr., in Providence in 1870. This may be so. A great many queer things have happened in Providence of late years when the police weren't around.

The republicans complain of the great influence of small states on legislation in congress. They speak of it as a positive evil, but to them it would be a blessing if these states voted the other way. Hence the republicans favor the annexation of Hawaii and her admission to statehood so as to aid in improving our legislation.

Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott has astonished a portion of his Brooklyn society by attacking the philosophy of the Declaration of Independence. But there is a large proportion of the people of the United States who would not be in the least surprised at anything that some ministerial quacks may say. Rev. Mr. Abbott probably thinks that it will give him a reputation for profundity of knowledge to strike at a fundamental principle of our government.

Football is becoming a fall fad in this country, but in its present form it should be discouraged. A game in which men have their bones broken or are carried dead from the field is not to be encouraged in any civilized nation. The men who were maimed or killed in Thursday's games were playing the game in the ordinary way. Nobody pretends to say that they resorted to unwarrantable tactics. No, they were strictly within the rules, and that being so it is clear that the rules are dangerous and that the game as it is now played should be discouraged.

A race war is a serious thing and should be stamped out wherever it appears. The French people should not find fault with the Greeks for seeking employment as they themselves are accused of doing once upon a time. If the allegation be true that any overseer at any time played the part of a padrone by putting the Greeks to work he should be exposed. No French operative ever resorted to that method of securing employment. It is equally dishonorable to the giver and the taker of the bribe.

LOCAL OPTION VS. DISTRICT OPTION.

General Martin of the Boston police commission favors the Minneapolis plan of reserving certain districts from the operation of the local option law, but the liquor dealers and the masses of the people are opposed to such reservations in the application of majority rule. If such reservation were made on the license question it would not be surprising to find requests made for similar restriction upon the law that makes drunkenness a punishable offence—to have some districts in which everybody can drink as much as he pleases without molestation. Again the advocates of free liquor in prohibition towns and cities, might ask exemption from the law and if this were granted of course the real object of the law would be defeated. It is a bad rule that does not work both ways. If the present proposition prevails we shall have instead of "local option" district option or ward option. This would drive the liquor business into narrow limits and magnify its evils by concentration so that an outcry for its entire suppression would be very plausible. In any city the interests of the whole are paramount to the interests of any part but the moment the whole is made subordinate to any portion thereof a wrong principle is introduced and only evil can result.

BEHIND THE BARS

Doc. Langley Could Not Furnish Bail.

IS CHARGED WITH GETTING MONEY ON FALSE PRETENSE.

Nine Persons Have Reported Robberies By Him.

Boston, Nov. 28.—James H. Langley, better known, perhaps, as "Doc" Langley, although why such a "sporty" title should be applied to a person of Mr. Langley's dignified appearance is a question which yet remains unanswered, was brought to Boston from Hartford by Inspector Cleary yesterday afternoon.

He is held on an indictment warrant in which there are seven counts of obtaining money by false pretenses. These counts aggregate $3760. Mr. Langley pleaded not guilty to the charge, and was committed to the jail last night in default of bail, which was placed at $7000.

When the news of his arrest was made public several complainants appeared at police headquarters, while others made known their woes in letters addressed to Chief Inspector Watts or to Captain Dugan. Nine have so far appeared with claims that they have been defrauded by this man, and there may be more to hear from.

By their action in causing Langley's arrest the Boston police have given a temporary black eye to the three schemes which he has been floating during the past year.

The most important of these concerns is the National Contract and Supply company. The others are the Boston Leather Goods company and the Niagara Frontier Land company.

Mr. Langley has been in the custody of the police before now. Such detention does not worry him in the least. He simply retains his normal calmness, and somehow manages to squeeze out without being injured. Although several efforts in that direction have been made, the police have never yet been able to land him in prison. Nor will they on this occasion, if he can show that the representations he made to L. J. Wilder of Medway and others were correct.

Mr. Wilder bought $500 worth of stock in the National Contract and Supply company. He thought Mr. Langley was a good man, because some of his friends told him so, and he accepted without question Mr. Langley's statement that of the $200,000 capital of the company $175,000 was paid in in cash. Mr. Wilder claims that this money was obtained from him by false pretenses, because of the falsity of this latter statement.

In the early part of September Mr. Wilder made his complaint to the courts, and when Mr. Langley was informed that a warrant would be issued his attorney replied that Mr. Langley would be in court to respond to it. He was not on hand as promised, however, so the matter went to the grand jury, and was reported in an indictment at the last sitting.

A MYSTERIOUS CASE.

Thomas Halpin Found Dead in Closet of Boarding House at New Haven.

New Haven, Nov. 28.—The dead body of Thomas Halpin, 35, an employe of the New Haven rolling mill, was found in a closet at his boarding house yesterday by John Curry, a fellow boarder. The body was badly discolored about the face and chest, and there was a small wound under the right eye. Near the body was a large pool of blood, and in the hands was a bloody handkerchief. The death is a mysterious one, and the coroner has been able to hold no one as responsible.

Halpin was seen on the street late Thursday night, when he was seen to fall on the sidewalk near his house. He was helped to his feet, and later went to a saloon, where he purchased a glass of beer, and went toward his boarding house. Halpin had lived in New Haven since June, 1895, with the exception of a few weeks which were spent at his home in Troy, N. Y. The remains have been prepared for shipment to Troy.

The coroner is of the opinion that Halpin, after reaching his room, was overcome by what he had drunk and sustained a fall, resulting in injuries from which he bled to death.

Bullet Finally Killed Him.

Bangor, Me., Nov. 28.—Melvin H. Robbins of 269 West Third street, South Boston, died at the home of Horace Marston in South Orrington yesterday. He came to Bangor about three weeks ago, on his way to Orrington, with the deliberate intention of killing himself. While here he bought a revolver, and, when he arrived at Orrington, went out in a clump of bushes behind the Marston homestead and shot himself through the brain. A singular feature of the case was the fact that in the shooting Robbins severed the optic nerve and was rendered entirely blind, but was able to get up and move about and swear at the doctors, whom he called "—— butchers."

Bogus Check Swindler.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 28.—A swindler has been working this city unsuccessfully with bogus checks for a few days. His method has been to send a boy to a store in the evening with a note signed with the name of a customer, and asking that the merchant cash the enclosed check, as it is after banking hours and a valuable c. o. d. express package has just arrived and the expressman is waiting for the money. The checks are bogus. So far he has secured no victims, however.

Massachusetts Teachers Confer.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The 52d annual meeting of the Massachusetts Teachers' association begun yesterday at the English high school. The morning exercises embraced matters pertinent to high school teachers, and so numerous were the papers and so extended the discussion of them that a greater part of the afternoon was also taken up in considering many varied and interesting educational questions.

Was Instantly Killed.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 28. — John Eagan, aged about 45, formerly residing in this city, but more recently in Whately, was instantly killed in the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad yard in this city by falling or jumping from the New York express about 6:30 o'clock last evening. He was unmarried, and has relatives living in Whately.

Sambril Harris Brought Back.

Boston, Nov. 28.—Officer C. F. Litteny of the state police and Deputy Sheriff Leonard of Fall River arrived in this city last night from Cleveland, having in custody Sambril Harris, the story of whose misdeeds at Fall River has already appeared in the press. He was taken to Taunton.

Was Oldest Man In Town.

Norway, Me., Nov. 28. — Luther F. Pike, the oldest man in Norway, died yesterday, aged 92. He was a wealthy and prominent citizen, a money loaner and director in the Norway National bank. He leaves two sons.

Over One Hundred Years Old.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 28.—Andrew Smith, who was over 100 years of age, died at his home in Chicopee yesterday of old age. He was a native of Ireland, and came to this country 50 years ago.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Hon. William Bassett of Berlin, Mass., is dead.

A great waterfall has been discovered in Venezuela.

New York city banks have gained this week a little over $1,500,000.

The civil service commission will hold a special meeting at Washington on Tuesday.

The New York Academy of Design has appointed a committee to select a site for a new building.

Mrs. Inez Sprague was unable to appear at a concert at Infantry hall, Providence, owing to a sudden indisposition.

Professor Benjamin Apthorp Gould died at his residence in Cambridge, Mass., Thursday, in his 73d year.

Louise Michel, the well known anarchist advocate, has started for London for a brief stay prior to a lecturing tour in the United States.

Frank Johnson, colored, was hanged at Columbia, Tenn., yesterday, for the murder of Austin Rye, whom he killed on Aug. 1 last, and afterward robbed of $5.

At the silver Democratic municipal convention in New Haven, W. H. H. Hewitt, a prominent real estate man, was nominated for mayor, and Eugene R. Hubbard for police commissioner.

The Independent Citizens' caucus in Newburyport, Mass., renominated Andrew R. Curtis for mayor, Henry J. Noyes, James D. Lewis, Benjamin P. Ireland, Abram A. Crabtree, Edward G. Moody and William C. Coffin for aldermen, and Benjamin F. Hathaway for overseer of the poor.

Bad Showing For Gold Cure.

Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 28.—At the Soldiers' home investigation yesterday the witnesses before the congressional committee were members or ex-members of the home, who testified to the kindness of Governor Smith; that old soldiers were not compelled to take the gold cure, and that brutalities were not practiced. Statistics of arrests for drunkenness in the home, which were asked for and presented, seem to make a poor showing for the cure. In 1890, before its use, there were 73 arrests, while in 1895 there were 1201.

Railroad Men Gathering.

St. Louis, Nov. 28.—Prominent members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen are arriving in St. Louis, preparatory to what is intended to be a monster open mass meeting of railroad men at Druid's hall Sunday afternoon. The meeting was called by the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and will be part of a general movement for concerted action by railroad organizations toward securing the passage by congress of the arbitration bill, and also that defining the offense of contempt of court.

Pneumatic Mail Service.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Pneumatic mail service over the Brooklyn bridge and linking the New York and Brooklyn postoffices, and in Philadelphia connecting the main postoffice and the depots of the Pennsylvania and Reading railroad, is provided for in a contract signed at the postoffice department yesterday afternoon. The terms of the agreement are not announced. Work on the tubes will begin at once.

Waterville Sent Assistance.

Winslow, Me., Nov. 28. — By a fire which caught in the stable owned by Walter G. Reynolds yesterday afternoon the stable and adjoining house occupied by Mr. Reynolds were burned. The loss is $2500, with an insurance of $2000. The Waterville fire department sent a steamer to give assistance.

A Discredited Report.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 28.—The report published here that President Faure will visit St. Petersburg in the middle of April is discredited, especially as the Baltic will not be navigable then. In official quarters nothing is known of the president's intention to visit Russia.

Closed on Executions.

Niagara Falls, Nov. 28.—The Niagara Glazed Paper company's plant has been closed on executions held by the Traders' Paper company of Lockport and the First National bank of this city. The plant is located just east of the canal on Erie street.

Wheat Importation Authorized.

Lisbon, Nov. 28.—The government of Portugal has authorized the importation of 138,000,000 kilos of wheat to supplement the deficiency in the national supply.

Sugar Bounties In France.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The customs committee of the chamber of deputies, yesterday, adopted the sugar bounties, 3½ francs to 4½, and also a tax of 2 francs to 2½ francs, according to distance, on colonial and French raw sugars sent to port refineries.

Spain's Other Rebellion.

Barcelona, Nov. 28.—Two battalions of troops and a quantity of war stores were dispatched from here yesterday for the Philippine islands.

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PRES. CLEVELAND

Has Bought a Home in Princeton, N. J.

THE NEGOTIATIONS HAVE JUST BEEN CLOSED.

Will Enter It on Leaving the White House.

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 28.—Last night Professor Andrew West, in an interview concerning the rumor current that President Cleveland intends at a future date to make Princeton his home, authorized the following statement:

"President Cleveland yesterday purchased the former residence of Mrs. Slidell on Bayard avenue, this town, and after the expiration of his term of office he will make Princeton his permanent home. Negotiations which have been in progress for about three weeks were closed by the purchase of the property named. Numerous reasons were advanced by the president as influencing him in making his choice of a home: Princeton's nearness to New York city, its quiet and undisturbed home life."

The amount of the purchase is said to be between $30,000 and $40,000.

Railroads In Maine.

Augusta, Me., Nov. 28.—The railroad commissioners have given out to the various railroad companies certificates of the physical conditions of their roads. Many improvements have been shown in the Maine Central. A double track has been extended from Yarmouth Junction to Freeport. Bridges have been strengthened at most of the places where they were injured during the March freshet, also many new iron bridges have been constructed in place of the wooden ones. The Bangor and Aroostook and Bangor and Piscataquis have made many improvements. The roadbed and tracks are in the best of condition. The Grand Trunk has placed some new iron bridges, but they are rather light for heavy loads, although sufficient for the rolling stock in use at present. The Canadian Pacific has recently put 41,000 yards of ballast and 95,000 new ties. Many improvements have also been made in the other railroads.

Bright Outlook For American Tin.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—The American Artisan says: The outlook for American tin plates is very bright, prices have already gone up and manufacturers, with scarcely an exception, look for further advance. As regards the possibility of a higher tin plate tariff, the reports are at wide variance, some firms are not looking for a change, others expect a change just as soon as McKinley can get the next congress together. Every manufacturer is firm in the opinion that the Welsh tinplate manufacturers cannot regain the trade they have lost in this country, the firm making no qualification whatever saying: "The Welsh tinplate makers cannot regain lost ground if the tariff is left as it is."

Republican Primaries In Lynn.

Lynn, Mass., Nov. 28.—Hon. Charles H. Baker was nominated for mayor by the Republicans at the municipal convention last night. The aldermen nominated were: Ward 2, George Welles; ward 3, George H. Sampson and James H. Seavey; ward 4, Edward P. Cushman; ward 5, Walter O. Faulkner and Thomas F. Porter; ward 6, George H. Harwood and Warren P. Babb; ward, 7, William L. Beckwith.

Revolution In Uruguay.

London, Nov. 28.—The Times' dispatch from Montevideo, Uruguay, says it is stated at Blanco that a revolution has broken out in the northern and eastern departments, armed bands having crossed from Brazil and cut the telegraph wires. The government is taking every precaution, although no fighting is yet reported.

Will Resume Operations.

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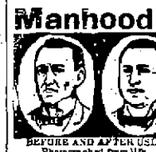
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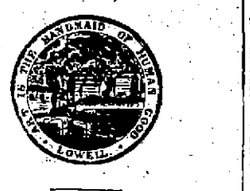


City Clerk's Office, Nov. 17, 1896.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of Title V of Chapter 417 of the Acts of the year 1893, that meetings of the citizens of Lowell qualified to vote as the law directs, will be held on Tuesday, the Eighth day of December, 1896, in the several precincts of the different wards, at the following places:

WARD ONE.

Precinct 1—Booth, Elliot street, cor. Middlesex street.
Precinct 2—Jackson hall.
Precinct 3—Booth, cor. Bridge and First streets.

WARD TWO.

Precinct 1—Booth, cor. Merrimack and Tremont streets.
Precinct 2—Booth, Mann school yard.
Precinct 3—Booth, North Common, opp. Morrill school.

WARD THREE.

Precinct 1—Booth cor. Rock and Willie streets.
Precinct 2—Ward room, engine house, Branch street.
Precinct 3—Booth, junction of Middlesex, Branch and Dover streets.

WARD FOUR.

Precinct 1—Booth, cor. Thorndike and Highland streets.
Precinct 2—Booth, cor. Congress and Gorham streets.
Precinct 3—Ward room, Lyon street.

WARD FIVE.

Precinct 1—Booth, George street, cor. Church street.
Precinct 2—Booth, Hosford Square, Central street.
Precinct 3—Booth, cor. Chestnut and Fayette streets.

WARD SIX.

Precinct 1—Booth, Bridge street, near Hampshire street.
Precinct 2—Booth, West Third street, near Bridge street.
Precinct 3—Booth, Lakeview avenue, near Aiken avenue.

WARD SEVEN.

Precinct 1—Ward room, engine house, Fletcher street.
Precinct 2—Booth, Willie street, at Lighting station.
Precinct 3—Booth, Riverside street, cor. Mammoth road.

WARD EIGHT.

Precinct 1—Booth, Chester street, cor. Westford street.
Precinct 2—Booth, Plain street, near Chelmsford street.
Precinct 3—Booth, Lincoln street, near Quebec street.

WARD NINE.

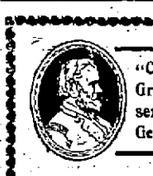
Precinct 1—Ward room, engine house, High street.
Precinct 2—Booth, cor. Rogers street, and Fort Hill avenue.
Precinct 3—Booth, Moore street, near Gorham street.

The polls to be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and closed at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Then and there to give in their votes on one ballot, for Mayor, nine Aldermen, Chief of the Department of Supplies, and in each ward for three Common Councilmen, and in Wards number Three, Five, Six and Eight, for one Member of the School Committee from each of said Wards, and in Wards number Five, Six, Eight and Nine, for one Overseer of the Poor from each of said Wards, also at the same time and place, and on the same ballot, to give in their votes "Yes" or "No" on the following question, to-wit: "Shall licenses be granted for the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this City?"

Also at the same time and place, in Wards number Three, Five, Six and Eight, for meetings of women, qualified as the law directs, to give in their votes, on a separate ballot, for one Member of the School Committee from each of said Wards.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen,
GIRARD P. DADMAN,
City Clerk.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Gave False Testimony—The Mayhew Case.

New York, Nov. 28.—Lawyers Charles W. Brooke and W. Temple Emmet secured yesterday a stay of execution in the case of Arthur Mayhew, awaiting death in Sing Sing prison, and an order to show cause why a new trial should not be granted the condemned man. The stay was granted by Judge Keogh of the supreme court in his office, and it is returnable at 10 o'clock next Thursday morning, in the supreme court, Brooklyn. Mayhew is under sentence to be electrocuted some time during the week commencing Nov. 30, 1896.

The condemned man, who is a negro, was convicted on April 28, 1896, of the murder of Stephen Powell, a well-to-do storekeeper of Hempstead, L. I., on March 7, 1896. Mayhew was tried in Long Island City before Judge Keogh, and his conviction was principally due to an affidavit made by his alleged accomplice, John A. Waynes, also colored, of Hempstead, who swore that he had seen Mayhew strike Powell with a stocking filled with stones, and that after the fatal blow had been struck Mayhew rifled the pockets of the murdered man and divided his spoils with him (Waynes).

Sometime before the trial, it is said, Waynes put his statment in writing. When he was called to the witness stand by District Attorney Noble during the trial of Mayhew he refused to answer any questions. The district attorney asked for an adjournment, and the witness was taken into a private room, it is alleged, by the district attorney, who had a talk with him. Waynes still refused to say anything when he was put on the stand again, and it was not until almost every effort to make him talk had been exhausted that he finally testified to the allegations contained in his written statement. He pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the first degree, and was sentenced to Sing Sing for 15 years. In Mayhew's case an appeal was taken, and the higher court sustained the verdict.

It was after the appeal had been decided against Mayhew that Lawyers Brooke and Emmett came into the case. Mayhew told his counsel that he was an innocent man, and that he felt sure that Waynes would tell the truth eventually, without letting him go to the electric chair. The two lawyers visited Waynes in Sing Sing, but he was sullen, and refused to have anything to say. They visited him a second time, with no better success, and finally abandoned hope of saving their client, since all prospects for a new trial depended upon Waynes confessing that he had sworn falsely. They were agreeably surprised last Wednesday morning, however, by learning that Waynes was anxious to see them and make a statement. Lawyer Emmett hurried to Sing Sing, saw the negro and got an important statement from him, which was put in the form of an affidavit and signed by Waynes yesterday in Lawyer Emmett's presence, and before a notary public.

Waynes says in the affidavit: "I did not meet Mayhew, and I did not see Mayhew kill Mr. Powell, as I testified at Mayhew's trial. I have since been informed that Mr. Powell was killed that evening between 10 and 12 o'clock. Mayhew was not with me during these hours."

After detailing the story of his arrest on the charge of murder, Waynes said: "I had been locked up for two or three weeks when I had a conversation with Mr. Dote, the head of the Queen's county jail in Long Island City. He told me that he had had a talk with Mayhew, and that Mayhew had 'come up to the front,' as he expressed it, and that Mayhew had confessed to him that he had killed Mr. Powell, and had told him that I had kept watch while he had did it. He also said that Mayhew would 'get off light,' because he had told the truth, and he said that I would get off light if I told the same story that Mayhew did; but that otherwise, I would be punished very heavily. He said that Mayhew had told him that he and I had walked up the street and hid behind the fence waiting for Mr. Powell, and that when Mr. Powell came along, he (Mayhew) had run out and struck him, and that I had run into the gutter and looked up and down the street, to see if anyone was coming. He then said that Mayhew had told him that he said I had run away through Terrace avenue, and that we were the men Treadwell saw running. He further said that Mayhew said that he had no intention of killing the man. I denied absolutely that any of these things had occurred, and was sent back to my cell.

"A day or two after McDougall, the jailer, same to me; he took me up stairs to the top of the jail, three or four flights up; two other men were up there, a detective and a notary public. McDougall took us into a little room, and repeated all that Dote had said that Mayhew had said, and McDougall said that Mayhew had owned up to all of these facts. 'Now,' he said, 'Waynes, I have known you two or three years, and I want you to get off with a light punishment, too. The only way for you to do is to own up to the same story that Mayhew has owned up to; otherwise, if you try to lie out of it with any different story, that you will get the worst end of it.'

"Upon this statement of the jailer, and in view of what Sheriff Dote had said to me in the same strain, I thereupon made a statement as to the occurrences on the night when Mr. Powell was killed, following as nearly as I could what these men had told me Mayhew had said. My statement was taken down in writing, and I swore to it. I made that statement in the manner I have described, because I believe from what was told me by Sheriff Dote, and McDougall, that it was the only thing for me to do to protect myself. I now declare that that statement was entirely untrue, in so far as it implicated either Mayhew or myself in the killing of Mr. Powell."

Missing Money Clerk Located.

Kansas City, Nov. 28.—George E. Ross, missing money clerk for the Pacific and United States Express companies, has been located in St. Louis by the surety company that furnished his bond, and is now under servelliance by them. It is now stated that the express company officials had all along known of Ross' exact location, but have kept it quiet, because there are, it is said, others implicated who are not yet in custody. Last Sunday there was handled through the office over which Ross presided money packages containing $110,000. Already $2300 of this amount is known to be missing, and the books are still being gone over.

More Frohman Theaters.

Cincinnati, Nov. 28.—Daniel Frohman has secured the control of the two leading theaters of Cincinnati, the Grand Opera House and the Walnut Street theater, and will control the bookings at these houses and share in the profits. Mr. Frohman becomes a partner with the proprietors, Messrs. Rainforth and Havlin, and thus adds these theaters in Cincinnati to the Frohman syndicate. The agreement is for a term of five years. The local managers look on the arrangement as one that will add to the value of the attractions that will be presented in Cincinnati.

Very Rainy Day at Canton.

Canton, O., Nov. 28.—With rain falling almost incessantly, Major McKinley kept close to the house yesterday, reading the papers, giving some attention to his heavy mail and receiving a number of callers. Among the latter were Hon. John H. King, a prominent attorney of South Dakota, who, being en route from home to Washington, stopped over to pay his respects to the president-elect, and D. A. McKinley, a business man of Detroit. At noon there was an informal lunch, at which a number of relatives joined the family.

Japs Seeking Information.

Cleveland, Nov. 28.—A party of five Japanese gentlemen, who have been detailed by the government at Tokio to make a tour of this country and Europe in order to secure ideas to be utilized in the construction of an immense steel plant in Japan, have arrived in this city. The plan of the Japanese government is to purchase $2,000,000 worth of machinery for the new factory, but to order none of it until the tour of inspection has been completed. Steel rails will be made the principal product of the new factory. The party is headed by Machitaro Oshima, technical director of the imperial steel works of Japan.

The Mary J. Kidder Case.

Wilton, N. H., Nov. 28.—The coroner's jury, which has been listening to testimony at the inquest conducted by Coroner Shea of Nashua over the body of Mrs. Mary J. Kidder, last night returned a verdict which sets forth that Mrs. Kidder's death was caused by hemorrhage from an unskilled operation in removing a cancer from the breast. Dr. Massecott of this town, who was arrested on a charge of manslaughter in connection with this case, has been released on $2000 bail.

Collected Political Assessments.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The secretary of the treasury has dismissed William R. Morley, engineer of the public building at Denver, for collecting political assessments from government employes in violation of the civil service commission. Morley's room in the postoffice building was a political headquarters during the campaign. The case has been referred to the attorney general for prosecution of those persons alleged to have violated the law.

Tampa In Mourning Garb.

Tampa, Fla., Nov. 28.—Yesterday the Cubans of this city held their annual mourning celebration to commemorate the execution of the eight medical students, who were the victims of a vicious Spanish mob in Habana on Nov. 27, 1871. With few exceptions every Cuban residence had portraits of the unfortunate students decorating the walls. These were draped, as were the fronts of many of the residences.

He Was a Nimble Thief.

Lebanon, Pa., Nov. 28.—The amount of money stolen by Cashier John H. Hoffer from the First National bank of Lebanon is $110,173. There were other transactions with Lebanon banking institutions, which, it is stated, will swell the total amount of his speculations to $200,000. Several prominent business men of this place were endorsers for Hoffer, and will lose heavily by his dealings.

Maguire Resting Quietly.

Boston, Nov. 28. — The improvement noted in the condition of Hon. Patrick Maguire, the Democratic political leader, who was the victim of a stroke of apoplexy on Wednesday, continues, and he is resting quietly. He is conscious, but only the members of the family are allowed to see him.

The Texas Severely Criticised.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The navy department has received the report of the court of inquiry which investigated the condition of the battleship Texas. It is understood to be a severe criticism of the ship, but the naval officers will make no statement concerning it, as it has not yet been passed upon by Secretary Herbert.

A Barnato Mine Closes Down.

London, Nov. 28.—A dispatch to The Daily Telegraph from Johannesburg, South African republic, says that the Langlagate royal, one of the Barnato mines, announces its closing down, due to the heavy cost of working it. This action, the dispatch adds, has created a profound sensation.

Prince Goes to Halifax.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The Italian cruiser Cristoforo Colombo left her anchorage in the harbor at 4 p. m. yesterday, bound for Halifax. Prince Luigi arrived in the city from Philadelphia and joined the cruiser. From Halifax the Colombo will proceed to the Azores.

A Reformed Train Robber.

St. Louis, Nov. 28.—Frank James, a brother of Jesse James, the notorious train robber and ex-member of the James gang of outlaws, is an aspirant for the St. Louis police commissionership, and Chief Harrigan will be his friend in the race.

Cut In Miners' Wages.

Denver, Nov. 28.—The Denver Times says that the Anaconda Mining company at Butte, Mon., has given notice to its men of a cut in wages, commencing Dec. 1, from $3.50 to $3 a day, and that other big mining companies there intend to follow suit.

No Comparison.

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The Revival Evident Over the Country.

New York, Nov. 28.—R. G. Dun & Co., in their weekly review of trade, say: When the rush of orders after the election slackened many began to think business dwindling. From one town in Illinois, not by many the most populous, 66 trainloads of manufactured goods went out the day after election. But subsidence of such deferred orders is not a decrease of business.

Disappointment is observed in the iron and steel industries, because various combinations have been and are still retarding orders by prices which buyers believe cannot be maintained, and the same is true in boots and shoes and in a few branches of textile goods. But business is on the whole enlarging, and the employment of many more hands will extend purchasing power. Broadly speaking, the gain has been greater than anybody expected, and it is not surprising if a small part of it is in excess of the present consuming demand.

Reports from all parts of the country show clearly the enlargement of trade, not at all points in the same branches, but everywhere helped by a more confident feeling. Extremes of weather have made the week not altogether good for retail trade, but in that line also there is improvement on the whole. Monetary difficulties have vanished as if by magic, and banks with an uncomfortably large supply of idle money are hunting borrowers, as the borrowers were recently hunting lenders.

Wheat has risen over 6 cents for the week, without material change in foreign advices, which have been on the whole less stimulating. Western receipts are falling behind last year's, and for four weeks past have been only 19,012,584 bushels, against 27,902,512 last year, while the Atlantic exports, flour included, has been 6,270,981 bushels in the same week, against 6,265,019 last year, and are not large enough to create excitement.

Cotton has gained only 1-16th, after its considerable decline, and the remarkably heavy movement puts the speculators for an advance in constant difficulties, and yet there is all the time to be remembered the fact that the crop was nearly one month earlier than usual, and the present exchange over last year's movement may be materially reduced hereafter.

Wool was and is still bought largely for speculation, and earlier purchasers are unloading on the latter, but the mills are not yet doing much more than in October. Including speculative operations, the sales of wool have been for four weeks 37,814,100 pounds, of which 26,212,000 pounds were domestic, against 24,296,050 last year, of which 13,381,750 were domestic, and 24,371,574 in 1893, of which 21,639,196 were domestic. But the producing capacity in operation does not seem to be half the capacity of the works, and the stoppage of several large carpet mills within the past 10 days is of importance.

The boot and shoe industry is still hindered by the general refusal of dealers to pay the advanced prices demanded by manufacturers, except for the limited quantities which are immediately required, and while most manufacturers are working on orders taken weeks ago at lower prices, which will keep them busy for some weeks to come, very little new business is coming. No further advance of importance has been made in leather, and the market for hides has sharply reacted, so that the average of prices is slightly lower than Nov. 12.

Failures for the week have been 300 in the United States, against 279 last year, and 38 in Canada, against 47 last year.

What Bradstreets Says.

New York, Nov. 28.—Bradstreet's today says: Last week's disappointment at the lack of demand in general lines continues, the intervention of a holiday having made the trade quieter and the volume smaller. At some points of distribution there is no change in the situation. Mild and unseasonable weather prevents a more active distribution of clothing and heavy goods, and the volume moving is smaller. Where business has been more active it is due to filling in orders and the demand for holiday goods. Confidence in a revival of a demand, which has not yet appeared, was responsible for the starting up of some mills and factories which are dissatisfied with their prospects. The most encouraging reports are of an improved tone of trade and a favorable outlook for 1897.

There have been heavier sales of wool to manufacturers at firm prices, but woolen mills have only fair orders for spring delivery. Jobbers in textiles report dry goods quieter, due to the holiday, and that jobbers, disappointed in the month's business, are looking ahead to improvement next year. A better demand for shoes for spring delivery has stimulated manufacturers to increase the output, but the request for lumber has fallen off.

Iron and steel manufacturers report demand not equal to expectations, and no likelihood for improvement prior to the new year. Bessemer steel remains firm at pool prices, but billets for export are off $2 a ton. Nails have dropped heavily on the collapse of the pool, and even Bessemer pig iron is shaded on decreased demand and ample supply. Cotton ties are lower, and the steel rail pool has not decided as to quotations.

A large number of changes in prices of staples were downward this week, petroleum, turpentine, hides, apples, cotton and wheat flour being lower, in addition to prices of metals given. Unchanged quotations are reported for wool, print cloths, leather, pork, sugar and coffee, while the leading cereals, wheat, corn and oats, respond with advances, as do prices for lead, lard and tin.

Reaction in the demand which appeared immediately after election, together with the intervention of the Thanksgiving holiday, accounts for the sharp reduction in total bank clearings throughout the country, the total for which is $940,000,000 this week, nearly 24 per cent smaller than last week, but 7.5 per cent larger than the corresponding week one year ago. This week's increase, as contrasted with the last week of November in 1894, when business was unusually depressed, amounts to 16 per cent, while as compared with the corresponding week in 1893 the gain this week is 18 per cent. Carrying back the comparison to the last week of November, 1892, a year of large volume of business, the falling off in bank clearings this week amounts to 32 per cent.

There are 295 business failures throughout the United States this week, 13 fewer than last week, seven more than in the week one year ago, 12 fewer than two years ago, and three less than in the corresponding week of 1892. As compared with the like week of 1892, when the volume of business was large and trade was generally prosperous, the increase this week is only 27.

Foraker Calls on Hanna.

Cleveland, Nov. 28. — Senator-elect Foraker was here yesterday, and was for some time closeted with M. A. Hanna. When interviewed later on he said he thought the tariff legislation should be postponed till the next congress. About an extra session he did not know. He said Governor Bushnell is a candidate for renomination for governor of Ohio. Speaking of the talk of Sherman going into the cabinet and Hanna aspiring for senatorial honors he said: "I think all this talk is premature. We think it is largely for the purpose of showing trouble and strife in the party."

Allen's Election to Be Contested.

Boston, Nov. 28.—Hon. John H. Sullivan, Democratic candidate for councillor in the Fourth district, will contest the election of Isaac B. Allen, the Republican candidate, who was recently declared elected, after a recount of the votes, by a majority of 62. A petition for an order from the supreme court, instructing the ballot commissioners to count for Mr. Sullivan certain ballots which were thrown out of the recount, was filed yesterday afternoon.

Lee Will Go Back to Habana.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Officials of the state department attach no importance to the rumors that Consul General Lee will not return to his post at Habana, because he is said to be unacceptable to the Spanish authorities there. There is no present change in General Lee's purpose to return to his post at an early day.

Will Edit the Dartmouth.

Hanover, N. H., Nov. 28.—The following men have won the places on the editorial staff of The Dartmouth, open for competition: R. D. Brown, Washington; F. A. Musgrove, Bristol, N. H.; A. M. Abbott, Glens Falls, N. Y.; E. W. Barstow, Hanover, Mass.; S. Z. Murray, Brooklyn; John Redington, Evanston, Ills.; G. W. Tong, Brooklyn.

Hamburg Strike Spreading.

Hamburg, Nov. 28.—The shipowners and port labor contractors have decided to join the Employers' Federation in order to present a united front to the strikers. The Hamburg-American company's lightermen and ship cleaners have joined in the strike. Eleven thousand men are now in the strike.

Approved by the Queen.

London, Nov. 28.—The queen has approved the transfer of Lord Gough, secretary of the British embassy at Washington, to Berlin. E. William de Bunsen, the British charge d'affaires in Siam, will replace Lord Gough at Washington. Mr. de Bunsen was formerly a British attache at Washington.

Texas Murderer Found Guilty.

Austin, Nov. 28.—The jury in the Burt murder trial have handed in their verdict, finding the prisoner guilty of murder in the first degree, and fixing the punishment at death. The case will be appealed. The crime for which Burt is to hang was the cold-blooded murder of his wife and two children on the night of July 24 last, when he killed them and threw their bodies in a cistern. He then went to Chicago, where he was arrested on Aug. 20.

Terrell Gains Another Point.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The department of state is advised officially that through the efforts of Minister Terrell at Constantinople, the vali of Aleppo has been instructed by the Turkish government to permit boys of that villayet to go to Tarsus to attend the school of the St. Paul institute, a college conducted by American missionaries.

Touched High Water Mark.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The gold reserve yesterday touched high water mark for the present administration. It is, indeed, higher than at any time since the close of 1891, 15 months before the present administration took office, and eight months before the election of 1892.

Election In Santo Domingo.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Consul Grimke reports to the state department from Santo Domingo that President Hureaux was re-elected for a term of four years at the election of Nov. 1 and 2.

Miners Get Their Demand.

Pittsburg, Nov. 28.—The railroad miners of the Pittsburg district will get the advance they have asked for without trouble. The operators generally have agreed to pay the 60-cent rate after Dec. 1, and a meeting will be held next Monday, presumably to ratify this agreement. The advance in this district will carry with it a similar advance in the Ohio region.

Bishop Keane Going to Rome.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Bishop J. J. Keane, late of Washington university, passed through this city yesterday on his way to the east. He will, within a short time, sail for Rome, where he will become a member of the Roman propaganda, and where he will be made an archbishop.

Ohio Coal Mines Closed.

Cleveland, Nov. 28.—A special from Malvern says: At Shrodsville, this county, the coal mines have been closed. The miners to the number of 350 refused to accept the 45-cent rate. They have up to the present time been receiving 61 cents.

Large Elevator Destroyed.

St. Paul, Nov. 28.—Fire last evening destroyed the large elevator of the St. Paul Warehouse and Elevator company on Third street. Loss, $80,000; partially covered by insurance.

Presents Showered on Them.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The Duke and Duchess of Orleans have received nearly 3000 presents from the party adherents of the duke in Brussels in the past three days.

Salem's City Ticket.

Salem, Mass., Nov. 28.—The task of nominating candidates for the city election was completed last night. On the ballot will be the names of two candidates for mayor, 20 for aldermen, 52 for the council and 11 for the school committee.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

AN ECHO OF ELECTION

A ROMANCE CULLED FROM THE REALMS OF POLITICS.

A Young Politician Leaves a Bride of a Few Days and Goes to Cuba—He Expected Preferment In the Event of Mr. Bryan's Election to the Presidency.

A. P. Taylor, who until a few days ago was assistant secretary of the national committee of the Silver party, is on his way to Cuba to join fortunes with the revolutionists, and his trip is due to the defeat of free silver. He was a resident of Salt Lake City, where his parents are said to be numbered among the best families. Three months ago he planned to join the insurgents, and his maternal uncle being an official in the United States navy the Cuban junta considered him a desirable recruit. He was promised that he would be taken on one of the filibuster expeditions and upon his arrival in Cuba would be made a second lieutenant.

With the intention of casting his fortunes with the revolutionists on those terms he left Salt Lake City, but in St. Louis an acquaintance told him of an opening in political circles, and secured him a place with the Silver party committee. He remained in St. Louis until the headquarters of the Silver party was moved to Washington, then went to the capital. There he became the assistant secretary of the committee, his intelligence and enthusiasm commending him to the good graces of Secretary Diffenderfer.

One night about six weeks ago Taylor was a visitor at a boarding house where Miss De Mond of Elkhart, Ind., was stopping. To see her was to love her, and he told her so, and suggested they be married the following day. Miss De Mond replied that she could not think of marrying him on such short acquaintance. The next day Taylor renewed his suit. Bryan was sure to be elected, he said, and when the new administration came into power he was to be the private secretary of the vice president. What better could she desire?

Miss De Mond suggested that there was a possibility that Bryan might be defeated. Taylor insisted that such a view of the situation was preposterous. Thus he argued, and after a week's siege she capitulated. A few days before election they went over to Baltimore and were married. Then came the fatal 3d of November. Probably there were no two persons in the United States who watched the bulletins with greater anxiety than Mr. and Mrs. Taylor. Taylor, with his supreme confidence in the triumph of the silver cause, did not abandon hope until Wednesday. Then he went to his young bride and told her that his prospects of political preferment were wrecked. She asked him what he was going to do. He told her of how he had planned to join the Cuban patriots before he got side tracked on silver. He would accept the offer of rank made him in the Cuban army and would yet win fame and fortune. Mrs. Taylor did not like the idea, but it appeared the only chance, and so in tears she bade him goodby. She has received the following word from him:

"Have taken passage on the Valencia, which sails Saturday for Cuba. All will yet be well, my love. Your devoted husband."

Miss De Mond was seen by a reporter and said that she had no idea when she might expect her husband back, but she hoped to see him return unharmed and with a record of honor.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

FOR A BIG GATHERING.

Christian Endeavor Committee Actively at Work on the Coast.

The committee of 1897, which has charge of all the arrangements for the international Christian Endeavor convention, to be held in San Francisco July 17 to 19, 1897, is actively at work. The committee will arrange for the transportation, reception and entertainment of probably 20,000 delegates from the eastern side of the Rocky mountains.

It has already secured from the merchants of San Francisco a guarantee fund of $18,500, which, with $7,000 subscribed by the Christian Endeavor unions of San Francisco and Alameda counties, gives $25,000 for the expenses of this gathering, which will be the largest ever held west of the Mississippi.

None of this fund will be applied to the personal expenses of any individual attending the convention.

The De Reszke Family.

Last season a gentleman in the stalls at Covent Garden gravely informed a lady: "The De Reszkes are a remarkably clever family. There are Jean de Reszke and Edouard de Reszke and Pederewski."—London News.

CURRENT EVENTS.

The latest name for the sultan is the Royal Ripper.

There are 7,500 inmates of the Massachusetts state prisons and over 100,000 arrests a year are made, which cost the state the sum of $3,000,000 annually.

A citizens' league has been formed in Toronto to put down the bicycle scorcher. The league is composed of the most prominent citizens and is out for blood.

A new hypnotic has probably been found in the Jamaica dogwood. The fluid extract has been found efficacious in dentistry.

It is announced that the Tennessee Centennial exposition, which will be opened at Nashville on May 1, 1897, will cost about $1,000,000. All the money necessary has been subscribed.

The fossil remains of a hog have been recently discovered in the Bad Lands by an expedition led by Professor J. E. Todd, state geologist of South Dakota, and are said to prove that the animal must have been as large as a medium sized elephant.

The salmon pack in British Columbia this year exceeds 800,000 cases.

Dispatches from Panama show that work on the canal has not been discontinued.

One of the public schools of Germany, the Uan Ruppin gymnasium, has made it obligatory for all its pupils to learn to ride the bicycle.

In a Berlin insane asylum is a patient, it is said, whose hair changes color with her temperature. When she is cool and quiet, her hair is a light yellow, but when she is restless and excited it becomes auburn. In other words, this is a sort of human development of those little blue and pink litmus paper figures which are sold to act as barometers.

A Mental Affliction.

"It's a sad thing," said the sympathetic man, "but Blykins has become a veritable miser."

"Impossible."

"It's true. The last I heard of him he didn't get any pleasure out of anything except sitting down in his cellar counting his hoard of anthracite coal over and over again."—Washington Star.

BOWLING NEWS.

One who is considered an expert bowler is commenting on the low scores credited to Les Miserables in their match games, claims the blame rests entirely with the boys themselves. "Duck-pin bowling is what does it," he said, and he was right. From Capt. Swift down to the entire team, every man has the duck pin craze, and about the only time they roll at the regular sized pins is in a match game. Practice made the boys proficient in past years, when every young man waited up to learn if the "Miserables" had won. That was when the scores were big and bowling men admired the boys who wore the pink shirts for their pluck and determination in every game. That players were interested then, they showed in their practice. Set the example Capt. Swift and shift from those duck pins.

The bowling tournament of the Y. M. C. I. is creating lots of excitement.

In the Vesper tournament last night, Team eight defeated Team three, 2292 to 2188.

Two games were played in the Highland tournament. Team ten won from Team twelve 2060 to 2049; and Team thirteen defeated Team two 2228 to 2134.

Team five of the Bankers was victorious over Team three 1752 to 1661.

The shop men of the water works department defeated the office hands 2020 to 1887.

Attempted to Hold Up an Electric.

Kansas City, Nov. 28.—Four men, led by Oscar Bridges, said to be a bridge and parachute jumper of more or less notoriety, made an unsuccessful attempt to hold up and rob an electric car filled with passengers bound for Independence. Bridges was arrested after a desperate tussle with the motorman, and was brought here. There was a panic on the car, women fainting and screaming for help. The other two men escaped, but their names are known, and it is believed they also will soon be lodged in jail.

Prince Lost His Case.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Judge Bradley of the district supreme court yesterday refused to grant Prince Yturbide of Mexico a mandamus to compel the Metropolitan club of this city to reinstate him in membership. The case was a sequel to the expulsion of Yturbide for alleged circulation of scandalous charges against the daughter of a member of the club, to whom he had been engaged to be married.

TWELVE TO ONE.

This Is the Result as Officially Declared In the State of Kentucky.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 28.—The state canvassing board, consisting of the state auditor, secretary of state and attorney general, met at noon yesterday to canvass the returns of the recent election. In view of the Democratic threats to contest the 23 Republican electors, much interest was felt in the meeting.

The canvassing board had already footed returns, and read them with the explanations of their action in cases where the returns were technically irregular. In every case they had waived unimportant technicalities and counted returns as made. The Democrats received greater benefits than the Republicans from this course.

The official voting gives Kash, the leading Republican elector, 218,171 votes, and Smith, the leading Democratic elector, 217,890 votes. McKinley's official plurality in the state is 281. Smith, who headed the Bryan electoral ticket, defeats W. Edding and Howes, the lowest McKinley electors, who are tied. The electoral college will decide which of these electors shall vote. The count gives McKinley Kentucky by 281 plurality and 12 out of 13 electors. The canvass of congressional returns made no changes. Under the state law, 30 days after the canvass is given in which to file notice of contest. No such notice has yet been given by either side.

Suter, representing the silver Democrats before the state board, stated to a press representative that 11 contests of seats of Republican electors were prepared, and would be filed by Monday.

Mathilde Blind Dead.

London, Nov. 28.—Miss Mathilde Blind, the author, lecturer and staunch advocate of the improvement of the educational, economical and political position of women, is dead.

Fines Many and Heavy.

Palmer, Mass., Nov. 28.—In the district court yesterday Judge Robinson rendered his decision in 21 liquor cases, and imposed fines aggregating $3250.

How the Mercury Fell.

Dubuque, Ia., Nov. 28.—In 24 hours the temperature fell 47 degrees, the thermometer registering 8 above zero at 9 o'clock last night.

No More Coppers In France.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The chamber of deputies, yesterday, adopted a bill to prevent the circulation of foreign copper coins in France.

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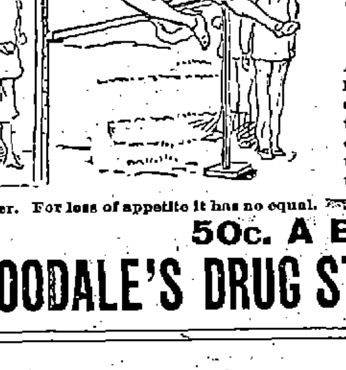

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Colored Champion Goes Down Before Buffalo Boy In a Rattling Contest.

New York, Nov. 28.—The Broadway Athletic club's arena was well filled last night with a large crowd of the sporting element from this and other cities. Many of them came long distances to witness the 20-round contest between George Dixon of Boston and Frank Erne of Buffalo for the featherweight championship of the world. Dixon and Erne met in this city last December, and the result then was a draw. Since that time the admirers of both boxers have claimed that their man had the better of that go, and many disputes have occurred as to their relative merits.

Both men were in fine condition and lasted the 20 rounds, but Erne was given the decision on points. It was a rattling contest. There were two preliminary bouts.

Will Not Try For a Record.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Admiral Ramsey, chief of the bureau of navigation, navy department, says the report that the cruiser Philadelphia will make a speed trial in order to establish a new record from San Francisco to the South Pacific is incorrect. The Philadelphia will make frequent stops at all available points on the way. Her unusual stock of coal taken at San Francisco is due to the comparative cheapness of coal there.

Another Armenian Massacre.

London, Nov. 28.—A Constantinople dispatch to The Daily News says that a fresh massacre, with 500 victims, is rumored to have occurred near Diarbekir.

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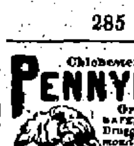

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For Lawrence, 6.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 1.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Haverhill, 6.30, 6.50, 8.30, 9.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Newburyport and Amesbury, 6.30 a. m., 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.
For Exeter and Dover, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.
For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.
For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Bangor, Belfast, and way stations, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Skowhegan and Rockland, 8.30 a. m.
For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., and the Provinces, 5.10 p. m., except Saturday. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Montreal and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.
For Eastport and St. John (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays, 12.05 p. m.
For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Rockland), Tuesdays and Friday at 5.10 p. m.
†Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

Southern Division.

On and After Oct. 4, 1896, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:

For Boston, 5.45, 6.30, †6.50, *7.45, *8.50, †9.30, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, †3.00, 4.25, †6.36 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.
Trains Leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:
For Boston, 5.48, 6.39, †6.53, 7.01, 7.18, *7.27, 7.33, *7.48, *8.51, 9.03, *9.50, 11.03, 11.42 a. m.; 12.16, 1.43, †3.03, *3.56, 4.00, 4.28, 5.22, 5.38, 6.22, 7.51 p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.18, *7.27, 8.48, *2.19 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.
For Woburn, 6.30, 7.01, 7.33, 7.45, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.28, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., 4.25, 5.58 p. m.
*Express. †Via Bedford.
For Lawrence, 6.30, 10.00 a. m.; 4.15 p. m.
For Salem, and Way Stations, 7.33 a. m.; 1.28, 5.53 p. m.
For Ayer Junction, and Way Stations, 7.10 a. m.; 12.00, 5.00 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.
For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.13 a. m.; 1.00, 3.43, 5.30 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.
For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene, 9.13 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.
For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40, 9.13, 9.40, 10.00 a. m.; 12.00, 1.00, 1.40, 3.43, 5.40, 6.17, 8.13, 8.40 p. m. SUNDAYS 10.00 a. m. (to Nashua only) 2.08 a. m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.12, 8.40 p. m.
For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.13, 9.40 a. m.; 12.00, 1.40 (to Franklin only), 6.40, †8.13 p. m.
For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 9.13 a. m.; 1.40 p. m.
For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.40 a.m.; 1.40, 18.40 p. m.
For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.40 a. m.; 12.13, 18.13 p. m.
For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.40 a. m.; 18.40 p. m.
Quebec Express via Plymouth and Sherbrooke—1.10, 8.40 p. m., daily except Sunday.
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THE WEATHER.

Sun rises—6:32; sets, 4:14.
Length of day—9h. 22m.
Full sea—4:45 a. m.; 5:15 p. m.

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Rain; colder this afternoon and tonight; decidedly colder Sunday; southwesterly winds, becoming westerly.

For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut: Showers; colder; decidedly colder tonight; freezing temperature Sunday; southwesterly winds, becoming northerly.

LOCAL NEWS.

Always wins, Old Hundred.

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SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

The Lawrence Sun says: "Lovard couldn't dine with the American colony in London yesterday as he had an engagement to meet "the queen" don't cher know: We notice, however, that Consul-General Collins found time to dine with the colony, no doubt considering it a patriotic duty."

Truant Commissioners Williams, Kelly and Thornton of this city attended the annual meeting of the state association of truant commissioners yesterday.

"Joe" Herrick who had his jaw broken in Thursday's foot ball game was able to be our yesterday, and took a short drive with License Commissioner Brady.

An old lady whom Secretary Courtney had in charge Thanksgiving day had travelled a considerable distance to get here and join her sister, who resides in Belvidere. The old lady arrived here Wednesday evening and told Secretary Courtney that not knowing where to go she remained in the depot all night. Thursday morning she hailed up the secretary and he conducted her safely to her sister.

Wednesday was a bay-day for the market men. Yesterday they did not make enough to pay their rent.

In the Bloomingdale insane asylum at White Plains, N. Y., is a man who thinks he is a costly vase of Bohemian glass, and that he is full of priceless wine. Every Thanksgiving the inmates hold a dance, but this man never dances for fear he will spill some of the wine, but he likes to watch the others.

I hear that the entertainment committee of the Mathews is arranging a course for members that will rival anything ever conducted by any organization in this city. When the Mathews undertake anything they generally succeed.

One of the most dangerous places in the city for drivers is at the corner of Central and Merrimack streets, when wagons are standing in the side of the street and an electric car stops right at the crossing. It is a tight squeeze to get past.

Some of the streets are in very bad condition after the rain, and Supt. Cheney could easily find something to do for a force of men.

Trade was reported dull after the holiday in many of the stores yesterday. Such is usually the case when a holiday falls in the middle of the week.

One of the most novel and attractive signs in the city is the one in Talbot & Co.'s window. The letters are made of a glass chain apparently filled with globules of water all in rapid motion.

The Y. M. C. I. members are at present engaged in a cribbage tournament and some expert players are being developed.

Two men called at a clergyman's house yesterday afternoon. I knew one of them and wondered what his mission might be. I was interested, for I thought he was going to reform. As I passed, I heard one say to the clergyman, "Sir," will you give me a dime, I want to buy a drink for myself and my friend." The one I knew suspecting I might have overheard the request of his friend, hung his head like a coward, and such he must be.

Those who attend the Savoy theatre may imagine that the company has but little trouble in presenting one play each week, but the Kendal Weston company works very hard. To prepare a good and new play each week and present it with all detail is a work that requires great labor and attention. The company holds a rehearsal every forenoon regularly and at present they are preparing several plays in advance always of course giving closest attention to the one which is first to be produced, but at the same time familiarizing themselves with the dialogue and action of others that are to follow. This is no easy task. Miss Rose Stahl found the work too heavy for her. When presenting "Camille" in which she played the difficult role of that name, she was in several cases so ill that she had to be carried off the stage when the play was over. In one case, too, she was taken ill during the play and there was a long wait between the acts owing to her inability to go on. She was carried to her place on the stage and conjured all her courage and nerve to finish the act. In the dying scene in Camille she was even more realistic than usual on that evening for she was suffering intense pain and was so weak that she was unable to stand when the act closed. This is but a slight insight to what the hard working actor or actress has to encounter in preparing a play each week and essaying a role that calls for strong action or that has impassioned climaxes in which every nerve and muscle in the body must be exerted to portray the sentiment to be expressed. The plays on the tapis at the present time will form an excellent repertoire. They are "The Wife," "Charity Ball," "Sweet Lavender," "Lady Windermere's Fan," "Aristocracy," "Alabama," "Banker's Daughter," "Captain Swift," "Fron Fron," "Moths," and several others to complete the season.

Have you seen the portrait exhibition at the Lowell One Price window?

Thomas Goyette's most beautiful painting of Fr. Garin painted for the last banquet won the gold medal offered by "L Etoile" for the best work. The young artist has a very brilliant future before him. Mr. Goyette is a talented artist and the pictures are very lifelike.

Les Miserables bowling alleys and billiard hall now open. East Merrimack street.

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Uncle Sam Should Speak Out on Question.

New York, Nov. 28.—For the unintentional plucking of a rose from the grave of a Spaniard at Habana, 25 years ago yesterday, eight young Cuban medical students were shot to death by the Spanish soldiery, and 14 or 15 of their associates were sentenced to penal servitude. The plucking of the flower had really no political significance, and years afterward the Spanish government, realizing the fact, released the prisoners and permitted the erection of a monument at Habana to the memory of the eight murdered colegians. The shaft which stands to day bears the single inscription "Innocent."

The Cuban exiles in this city last night commemorated the execution of the students by holding a patriotic meeting at Chickering hall on Fifth avenue. The place was crowded when Dr. Lincoln de Zayas called the meeting to order, and announced Bourke Cockran, Emanuel Sanguilly, Enrique J. Varona and Dr. Enrique Barnett as the Speakers.

Bourke Cockran made the principal speech of the evening. Among other things, he said: "Our attitude must be defined so that the patriot and Spaniard can know with whom he must reckon. If the Cuban patriot is to be exterminated, in heaven's name let him know that the aid he is expecting will not be forthcoming; that the butchery is to be continued, instead of keeping him in suspense by our silence."

At this time a Cuban who had been overcome by passion shouted: "Curse Cleveland."

The speaker, having caught the exclamation, lost no time to reply. "My friend," he said, "no American will bring a curse upon this country by a failure to do his duty."

Resuming his speech, the congressman declared: "It is time this government should speak out and have the courage of its conviction. I hope it does, and it will not be to annex Cuba, but to liberate it."

WEYLER'S LATEST MOVES.

He is Escorted by Twenty-Six Colored Giants—An Important Decree

Habana, Nov. 28.—Captain General Weyler arrived safely at Mariel yesterday, where he was received by the authorities, large crowds of people, etc. He immediately started for Artemisa, and on arriving there, visited the hospitals, found them in an improved sanitary state, and the health of the troops was generally better. From Artemisa the captain general went on to Vuelta Abajo by train, leaving the cavalry and the brigadier general, Calixto Ruiz, to join him later.

General Weyler is escorted by 26 herculean colored firemen. He has congratulated the Trovino squadron in the name of the queen its valorous conduct, name of the queen for its valorous conduct, and has decorated the lieutenant with a cross and conferred upon him a pension for distinguished bravery and work of his troops in the engagement with Sotolongo.

Shortly before leaving here Captain General Weyler signed a decree, ordering the redemption of the present gold bills by the issuance of 20,000,000 of silver bills. The gold bills will be exchanged by the Spanish bank for the new bills from Dec. 1 to Dec. 31. After that date the gold bills still in circluation will be declared equivalent to silver.

The new bills are to be redeemable from and after Jan. 1, 1897, at the Spanish bank with coin. The government will make a deposit with the bank of one-third of the 20,000,000 in coin. It will also levy a duty of 5 per cent on the official valuation of merchandise imported into the island from all countries, the valuation to be fixed in accordance with article 132 of the established custom house law. The duties are to be payable in silver beginning with products deposited in the custom house on Jan 1.

Julio Sanguily's Trial.

Habana, Nov. 28.—The case of Julio Sanguily, the American citizen who is charged with conspiracy against the government, was called in the supreme court yesterday. The judge stated that the trial would take place in public Dec. 21, and the witnesses have been summoned to be present on that date. Sanguily was arrested in 1895, and was convicted by a court-martial, which sentenced him to life imprisonment. He succeeded, however, in having a civil trial granted to him.

Spaniards Fear Congress.

London, Nov. 28.—The Standard's Madrid newspapers reflect the intense anxiety of all classes as the meeting of congress at Washington approaches. The strongest feeling prevails against any intervention in Cuba, even from the friendliest nation, which, the Spaniards contend, would be a tacit recognition of Cuban belligerency. Spain would prefer the risk of a conflict with the United States.

Officials at the Theater.

Washington, Nov. 28. — Seldom does such a representattve audience of Washington official life gather beneath a theater's roof in a single night as that which greeted H. Beerbohm Tree at the Lafayette Square last night. The initial performance of Gilbert Parker's romantic play, "The Seats of the Mighty," was the especial guest. President and Mrs. Cleveland, Secretary and Mrs. Olney and the entire British embassy were among those occupying boxes, while the body of the theater contained many members of diplomatic corps and prominent society leaders.

Sheriff Tamsen Vindicated.

New York, Nov. 28.—Referee W. H. Robertson's report upon the charges against Sheriff Tamsen of New York is a complete vindication of that official. The testimony is very voluminous, and the report itself is of a lengthy character, each charge being treated separately. There is no general recommendation, but to each of the 19 charges the referee reports that the evidence showed that the sheriff was not in any way responsible for the breaches of discipline, and that he took every precaution to protect himself and the public in his administration.

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IN THE NORTHWEST.

Great Blizzard is Raging With Business and Trains at a Standstill.

St. Paul, Nov. 28.—The wires continue to bring reports of the great blizzard which has been raging in the Dakotas and northern Minnesota for the past three days. The storm is the worst known for many years.

The following specials give some idea of its extent:

Red Lake Falls—Worst blizzard this section ever saw. The snow which has fallen at intervals for several weeks has been piled into huge drifts by a high wind, and all traffic is suspended.

Fergus Falls—Heavy storm still raging. Mercury at zero. Business suspended.

Moorhead—Raging blizzard since Thursday morning. Streets blocked. No trains and business at a standstill.

Fargo, N. D.—Storm still continues with even greater intensity. All wires west and north down. The snow drifts in the streets here are 10 feet high. It is the worst storm for five years.

Stephen—The worst storm ever seen here has been raging since Thursday morning. About two feet of snow has fallen this season, and the storm has drifted snowbanks in some places 10 feet high. Traveling is at a standstill. Trains are stuck in the snowdrifts.

A special from Kulm, N. D., says it has snowed there almost continuously since Oct. 31.

Sheehan Will Rule Tammany.

New York, Nov. 28.—John C. Sheehan, leader of Tammany Hall, will continue in charge of the policy and fortunes of the organization. This is the decision which Richard Croker has reached after a careful examination of the situation. Mr. Croker will remain long enough to see him safely through the primaries, and will probably return to England in January to attend to his racing interests there. "I have no intention of retiring," said Mr. Sheehan. "I do not understand how such stories could originate. I don't think that I have given any indication of intending to resign. There is much less pleasure in the leadership of Tammany than most people suppose. There is more responsibility in it than in a public office. I know that Mr. Croker does not care for it. He has had as much experience in public life as he desires, and he will not again take active charge of the organization, though he will always take an interest in it."

Cold Day in Denver.

Denver, Nov. 28.—With the exception of 1877-1880 and 1888, yesterday was the coldest day ever known in Denver in November since 1871, prior to which year there is no official record. The weather bureau thermometer registered 9.2 degrees below zero at 6 a. m. Passengers on the incoming trains tell of a severe blizzard in eastern Colorado and the neighboring state of Nebraska. The snow has fallen steadily for two days, and the wind, rioting at will over the rolling land, meeting with no obstruction, has piled drifts as high as 10 to 20 feet.

Cyclone in Mississippi.

Tunica, Miss., Nov. 28.—A cyclone passed through the northwest corner of this town, traveling in a northwesterly direction. One end of a freight car on a switch was blown down, crippling a teamster and three horses. Three houses on R. C. Irwin's place were blown down and one on the Fulmer place. Sarah Clay, colored, was killed, and Sam Clay seriously injured. Their three children were wounded. The woods near here are strewn with household ware and bedding.

Montana's Coldest Night.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 28.—Last night was the coldest night through the state that has ever been known. At 7 o'clock in the evening the mercury ranged from 20 to 25 degrees below zero in various parts of the city. The weather bureau here reports the temperature in the northern part of the state to be from 10 to 20 degrees colder than it is in Helena.

Football Player Badly Injured.

Boston, Nov. 28.—Left-tackle McCarthy of the Boston university football team was seriously injured in the game with Boston college Thursday afternoon. McCarthy was twice laid out in scrimmages, the last time being in the final rush of the game. He was carried to the dressing room in an unconscious condition, and has not since regained his senses. Examination by a physician disclosed numerous wounds, the most serious being one on the back of the neck, which will probably result in brain fever.

Accident in Big Wheel Pit.

Niagara Falls, Nov. 28.—An accident occurred in the big wheel pit yesterday morning, by which Stephen Soobiski, a Pole, was killed, a man named Santoss was so badly hurt that he is paralyzed, and will die, and another man had several bones broken. Notification was given that a blast was about to be let off, and the men started for a ladder. About a dozen got on the ladder at once, when it broke, letting them fall to the bottom.

Joseph W. Rinehart's Trial.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—The trial of Joseph W. Rinehart, ex-president of the Santa Fe railroad, and John A. Hailey, ex-traffic manager of the road, has been finally set before Judge Grosscup for Jan. 4. The men are indicted for violation of the interstate commerce laws in making a rebate on regular rates to the Hammond Packing company of Hammond, Ind., and Nelson Morris & Co. of this city.

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A NINE DAYS' DEVOTION

WILL COMMENCE AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH.

A Fine List of Topics and Speakers Announced—Service Will Be Open to the Public—Novena Will Also Be Held at St. Patrick's—Advent Will Commence Tomorrow—Catholic Societies are Flourishing.

At the Immaculate Conception church tomorrow, the novena in honor of the Blessed Virgin, will commence and will continue till December 8, inclusive. Every evening religious exercises will be conducted and there will be a sermon by one of the clergymen stationed at this church.

The subjects and speakers for the entire novena have been assigned, and those who attend are certain to hear eloquent and instructive sermons.

The list is as follows: Sunday, Nov. 29, "A Christian's Obligation—Sanctity," Rev. Wm. D. Joyce, O.M.I.; Monday, Nov. 30, "Love and Service of God—Happiness," Rev. Fr. O'Riordan, O.M.I. Dec. 1.—"Test of our Love of God, Love of Others," Rev. John J. Dacey, O. M. I. Dec. 2.—"Virtues Dearest to God—Holy Purity," Rev. Fr. Fox, O. M. I. Dec. 3.—"The Dangerous State of a Careless Christian," Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. Dec. 4.—"Our Blessed Lady and the Sacred Heart," Rev. Fr. Fox, O.M.I. Dec. 5.—"Means of Sanctification, Presence of God," Rev. Fr. O'Riordan, O.M.I. Dec. 6.—"Self-Knowledge," Rev. John J. Dacey, O. M. I. Dec. 7.—The Hidden God," Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I. Dec. 8.—"Mary, Our Model," Rev. William D. Joyce, O. M. I. The novena will be for both men and women, and the service will begin at 6.30 Sunday evenings and 7.30 every other evening. The solemnity of the feast will be observed Dec. 13.

Tomorrow will be the first Sunday in Advent, and from then till Christmas day the "Gloria" will not be sung at the mass.

Monday will be the feast of St. Andrew, a feast of devotion.

At St. Patrick's church tomorrow a novena to the Blessed Virgin will begin.

The 16th, 18th and 19th of December will be ember days.

The feast of the Blessed Virgin which falls on Dec. 8, will be observed on a grand scale in all the churches.

The young people of the Sacred Heart parish are arranging a minstrel entertainment which will be given in January, in aid of the church.

The grounds around St. John's hospital are being graded, and a new fence will be erected.

The Young Men's Catholic Institute has 410 members and is in a very prosperous condition. The Thanksgiving entertainment conducted by the Institute was very successful and will add a neat sum to the treasury.

There are now 69 members in the Catholic Lyceum of St. Patrick's parish. The remodelled rooms will be dedicated next Tuesday evening.

The Catholic church choirs are rehearsing their Christmas music.

SEEKING A PERMIT.

Warren Lewis Wishes to Pull Off Fitzsimmons-Corbett Fight In Brooklyn.

New York, Nov. 28.—Warren Lewis of the Greater New York Athletic club visited the office of District Attorney Backus, in Brooklyn, yesterday, for the purpose of ascertaining if his club would be given a permit for the proposed Corbett-Fitzsimmons bout. Mr. Backus declined to decide the question at that time, but promised to give Mr. Lewis another hearing.

As forecasting the probable decision of the law department of Brooklyn, an official of that city, who is credited with possessing accurate knowledge of the facts, is quoted as having said: "The authorities of the City of Churches will not permit, under the Horton law, or under any other law, the commission of an act that the authorities of Texas, California, Florida, Missouri, and even New Mexico, prohibits. There is no presentation of the case which can make a meeting between Corbett and Fitzsimmons anything but a prize fight. That makes the situation plain to the most inexperienced individual."

Premature and Misleading.

Washington, Nov. 28.—The navy department, yesterday, gave out the following: "Secretary Herbert's attention being called to published reports purporting to give the features of his forthcoming report, he said that all reports of this character were purely conjectural. They are based in part on his former reports, and on the fact that the secretary has received data on various subjects from naval bureau chiefs. What features of this data will be embodied in the report is still an open question. The report itself is not yet advanced in its original written form to completion, and has not been put in print, so that reports of its contents are premature and misleading."

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HE DID NOT TRUST.

Even President of the United States Was Refused Credit by Dry Goods Man.

Washington, Nov. 28. — A sensation was created in a large dry goods house on Pennsylvania avenue recently, when the President of the United States was refused a bill of credit.

Mrs. Cleveland's maid alighted from the president's carriage, and, entering the store, drew around her a crowd of shoppers anxious to see what the little Clevelands would wear.

She stopped before the counter on which were displayed children's dress goods, and after selecting several patterns she handed the clerk the order written on paper, bearing the engraved inscription "Executive Mansion," and smilingly said: "Mrs. Cleveland said charge it to the president."

The clerk paused, and then beckoning to the proprietor, who was standing near, they held a conversation.

Again turning to the maid, he said: "I am very sorry, miss, but we charge no goods; we would like to comply with Mrs. Cleveland's request, but we cannot violate our rules. I am sure we would be pleased to accommodate Mrs. Cleveland, but"—here he was interrupted.

"Do you refuse to give credit to the president?"

"Not exactly refuse him, but you see a rule applied to one should be to all, and we cannot make exceptions."

The maid stared at him, then said: "Perhaps you doubt my coming from the White House?"

"Not at all; but we do regret causing Mrs. Cleveland any annoyance."

She replaced the goods and with flashing eyes left the store.

In an interview, the proprietor said: "We regret the circumstances exceedingly. But it has been our boasted policy to make no class distinctions, and we give credit to none."

BIG FIRE

In Chelsea Does Great Damage in Houses and Furniture.

Chelsea, Mass., Nov. 28.—Roger Walton, who lives at 132 Addison street, was awakened at 1:30 this morning by a crackling noise in the walls of his room. He quickly discovered that his bakery adjoining, as well as his house, was on fire, which had caught to all appearances from an over-heated flue in the baking room. He succeeded in getting his wife and nine children out of the house before the flames gained such headway that it was impossible to save any of the contents. The fire was a very dangerous one, and occasioned two alarms, as on one side of the house, only 25 feet away, was a gasometer of the Chelsea Gas Light company, containing 75,000 feet of gas, and on the other side was a stable owned by M. J. McCarthy, in which was stored a large quantity of oil. Mr. Walton's loss on his house was $2500; on furniture, $1000; on the bakery, $1500, a total of $5000, with an insurance of $2500.

Highland Billiards.

The results in the individual handicap billiards tournament at the Highland club last night were as follows: Hawes 100 vs. L. F. Kittredge 38; L. F. Kittridge 40 vs. Charlton 80; Charlton 100 vs. A. Kittredge 34; Charlton 100 vs. Shaw 31; Charlton 100 vs. Gray 41; Harris 80 vs. F. A. Smith 37; Harris 80 vs. Shaw 48; L. F. Kittredge 40 vs. A. H. Kittredge 59; F. A. Smith 60 vs. Shaw 40; Shaw 50 vs. Gray 45; Snyder 80 vs. Dickerman 84.

Bishop Lawrence will make his annual visitation to the Lowell Episcopal churches, Jan. 17 and every Sunday until that time a confirmation class will receive instructions at St. Anne's.

At the residence of Mrs. Frank Howe before a select audience yesterday afternoon, Mrs Erving of Boston, read the play, "Folly or Saintliness" by Echegaray.

There is at least one place where one notices that business is booming. O'Hearn & Dowd's clothing sale is drawing the crowds.

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MISER'S DEATH.

She Died in Poverty With $20,000 Laid Away.

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 28. — Mrs. Margaret French, an aged woman, reputed to be worth $20,000, died apparently in abject poverty yesterday in a room on the third floor of a Concord street block, which she had occupied for the past 50 years. She was a miser, and had never much to say about herself. Her neighbors say that she had not food to keep soul and body together, and she was too close to hire a doctor even in her last days. She leaves one niece in this city, and is supposed to have two nieces living in Philadelphia.

FELL INTO CANAL.

Body Found in Manchester, N. H., of Bert S. Cross.

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 28.—The body of Bert S. Cross, who disappeared from his home on the Island Pond road, near Lake Massabesic, Thursday afternoon, was discovered in the raceway leading to the city pumping station late yesterday afternoon by the squad of police detailed to drag the bottom of the lake. The last seen of the unfortunate man was when he called at the Milldam House and tried to obtain some alcohol for bathing purposes for the use of his sick wife. It is thought that he stumbled in the dark in passing along the bank of the canal and fell in.

TERRELL COMING.

Leaves Turkey En Route to the United States.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Secretary Olney has received a telegram from Minister Terrell to the effect that 26 wives of naturalized American citizens, with their children, will leave Harpoot at once for America under proper escort, and that 23 more women, also wives of naturalized American citizens, will leave in a few days. Mr. Terrell is also informed by wire from Marasch that the governor there facilitates the departure of all persons on whose account application is made.

Heavy Apple Shipment.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The largest single shipment of apples ever taken from an American port left here yesterday on the steamer Scotsman for Liverpool, which has on board 21,609 barrels. This exceeds by over 3000 barrels any previous shipment to leave this country.

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